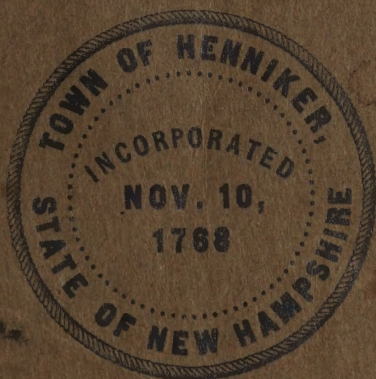


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OF THE
TOWN OF HENNIKER
NEW HAMPSHIRE



FOR THE YEAR ENDING
JANUARY 31, 1929

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TOWN OFFICERS

Moderator

HARRY B. PRESTON

Representative to the General Court

FRED T. CONNOR

Selectmen and Overseers of Poor

FORREST W. DOWLIN	Term expires 1929
WALTER C. PATENAUDE	Term expires 1930
EDWARD CONNELLY	Term expires 1931

Town Clerk

RALPH H. GILCHRIST

Town Treasurer

WILLIAM L. CHILDS

Collector of Taxes

WILLIAM C. GOSS

Highway Agent

ROZELVO N. FARLEY

Supervisors of Check List

HENRIETTA C. FALVEY

SILAS A. ROWE

ALFRED L. FRENCH

Health Officer

FRANCIS H. CLEVELAND

Water Commissioners

HARRY L. HOLMES	Term expires 1929
JAMES W. DOON	Term expires 1931
HAROLD R. McLEAN, by appointment	

Trustees of Tucker Free Library

THOMAS HOLDER	Term expires 1930
FRED A. PEASLEE	Term expires 1930
WALTER A. CONNOR	Term expires 1931
JOHN H. FALVEY	Term expires 1931
HARRY B. PRESTON, by appointment	

Trustees of Trust Funds

EDWARD CONNELLY	Term expires 1929
HARRY B. PRESTON	Term expires 1931

School Board

PARIS E. MILLER	Term expires 1931
LEON O. COOPER	Term expires 1929
HENRIETTA C. FALVEY	Term expires 1930

Fire Engineers

WILLIAM L. CHILDS	WILBUR J. PARMENTER
JOHN E. MARSHALL	

Forest Fire Warden

HERBERT A. CUMMINGS

Deputy Forest Fire Wardens

WILLIAM L. CHILDS	FRED T. CONNOR
WILLIAM C. GOSS	HAROLD R. McLEAN

Town Auditors

WALTER A. CONNOR	ARTHUR C. GRAVES
DUNCAN P. NOYES	

Ballot Clerks

WALTER A. CONNOR	HARRY A. TUCKER
ARTHUR C. GRAVES	JOHN A. CONNELLY

Police Officers

GUY H. BRILL, *Chief*

Deputies

OTTO C. SCHACHT	JOHN E. MARSHALL
FRANK STACY	
Dog Constable	
GUY H. BRILL	

Sextons of Cemeteries

CHARLES H. CARTER	Yard East Part of Town
FRED T. CONNOR	Colby Yard

Fence Viewers

LEVI W. FRENCH	J. FRED GARLAND
CHARLES P. FARRAR	

Surveyors of Wood and Lumber

LEVI W. FRENCH	S. Q. A. NEWTON
FORREST W. DOWLIN	WILLIE H. BEAN

ERNEST W. HUSSEY

Truant Officer

HENRY W. COGSWELL

TOWN WARRANT

THE STATE OF NEW HAMPSHIRE

To the Inhabitants of the Town of Henniker, in the County of Merrimack in said State, qualified to vote in Town Affairs:

(L. S.)

You are hereby notified to meet at the Town's Meeting House in said Henniker, on Tuesday the twelfth day of March next, at nine of the clock in the forenoon, to act upon the following subjects:

1. To choose all necessary Town Officers for the year ensuing.

2. To raise such sums of money as may be necessary to defray town charges for the ensuing year, and make appropriation for same.

3. To hear and act upon reports of Town Officers, Library Trustees, Trustees of Trust Funds, and other committees.

4. To see what sum of money the town will vote to raise for repair of highways and bridges.

5. To see what sum of money the town will vote to raise for the maintenance of its State Aid and Trunk Line roads.

6. To see what sum of money the town will vote to raise, or appropriate for the purpose of permanent improvement of its highways, under Chapters 80, 84 and 85, of the Public Laws.

7. To see if the town will vote to raise the sum of \$500 for the support of the Public Health Nursing Association, or take any action relative thereto.

8. To see what sum of money the town will vote to raise, or appropriate, to defray the expense of observing Memorial Day.

9. To see what sum of money the town will vote to raise, in addition to that required by law for the support of Tucker Free Library.

10. To see what sum of money the town will vote to raise for the maintenance of the Fire Department, or take any action relative thereto.

11. To see what sum of money the town will vote to raise, or appropriate, for the purpose of defraying the cost and expense during the ensuing year of providing and maintaining hydrant service for the extinguishing of fires.

12. To see if the town will vote to authorize the selectmen to reinsure the town buildings, including library.

13. To see what sum of money the town will vote to raise for lighting streets for the ensuing year.

14. To see what action the town will take to prevent the spread of White Pine Blister Rust, raise money for same or take any action relative thereto.

15. To see what sum of money the town will vote to raise for the observance of Old Home Day or take any action relative thereto.

16. To see what sum of money the town will vote to raise for the improvement of the Goss Cemetery, so called, or take any action relative thereto.

17. To see if the town will vote to raise or appropriate money to pay one half the cost of new suits for the members of the Fire Company, or take any action relative thereto.

18. To see what sum of money the town will vote to raise or appropriate for the repairing, painting and rewiring interior and exterior of town hall or take any action relative thereto.

19. To see what action the town will vote to take in regard to reconstructing some of its bridges, raise money for the same or take any action relative thereto.

20. To see what action the town will take with reference to the acceptance of the devise to the Town of Henniker under the Twenty-Seventh Paragraph of the will of Leander A. Cogswell of the lot adjacent to the Tucker Free Library Lot to be held by the Town for school purposes and hereafter referred to as the Cogswell School Lot.

21. To see what action the Town will take with reference to the acceptance of the beneficial interest under the bequest to the Executors in trust for the Town of Henniker, contained in Paragraph Twenty-Eight of the will of Leander A. Cogswell for the erection by the Executors of said will of a fireproof school building upon said Cogswell School Lot to be known as the "Cogswell Memorial School" at an expense of not more than Ninety Thousand Dollars (\$90,000) and for the payment to the Town of Henniker by said Executors of the difference between the cost of said building and the principal sum provided for in said Paragraph Twenty-Eight of One Hundred and Twenty-five Thousand Dollars (\$125,000).

22. To see what action the Town will take with reference to the acceptance of the devise and bequest to the Town of Henniker contained in the Twenty-Ninth Paragraph of the will of Leander A. Cogswell of certain land described therein and located on the high school highway in said Henniker for purposes of an Athletic Field to be known as the "Henniker Athletic Field," and of the sum of Five Thousand Dollars (\$5,000) to be held by the Town in trust for the suitable repair, upkeep and improvement of said land.

23. To see what action the Town will take with reference to the acceptance of the devise and bequest to the Town of Henniker contained in the Thirtieth Paragraph of the will of Leander A. Cogswell of a certain lot of land located between Western Avenue and Contoocook River in Henniker to be known as Azalea Park, and the sum of Five Thousand Dollars (\$5,000) to be held in trust by the Town

for the suitable upkeep, improvement and embellishment of said land.

24. To see if the Town will vote to accept the offer of the Trustees of Henniker Academy to deed to the Town the real estate and buildings of said Henniker Academy for the use of the Town and pass such vote as may be appropriate.

25. To see if the town will vote to accept as a gift the Sewer installed and maintained on Pleasant and Prospect Streets, by Dr. George H. Sanborn, and Charles A. Wilkins, or take any action relative thereto.

26. To see if the Town will vote to establish a Park and Play-grounds Commission of three or more members, to serve without pay, except actual expense; to supervise, maintain and make regulations for the use of the public park and play-grounds in said Henniker which may be now or hereafter established, or take any other action in the matter.

27. To transact any other business that may properly come before said meeting and raise or appropriate such sums of money as may be necessary for the same.

Given under our hands and seal, this twenty-third day of February, in the year of our Lord nineteen hundred and twenty-nine.

EDWARD CONNELLY,
FORREST W. DOWLIN,
WALTER C. PATENAUDE,

Selectmen of Henniker.

A true copy of Warrant—Attest:

EDWARD CONNELLY,
FORREST W. DOWLIN,
WALTER C. PATENAUDE,

Selectmen of Henniker.

Articles Relating to the Town of Henniker from the

Last Will and Testament of Leander A. Cogswell

TWENTY-SEVENTH: I give, devise and bequeath to said town of Henniker a certain lot of land in the village of said Henniker located west of and adjacent to the Tucker Free Library lot, bounded, measuring and described as follows: Beginning at the northwest corner of the premises at the intersection of Western Avenue and the High School highway; thence southerly by the east line of said High School highway two hundred (200) feet to a bound set in the ground; thence easterly by other land of said grantor in a straight line parallel with and two hundred (200) feet distant from said Western Avenue to a bound set in the ground on an extended line of the westerly line of said Library lot; thence northerly two hundred (200) feet on said extended line by other land of said grantor and by the westerly line of said Library lot to said Western Avenue at the northwest corner of said Library lot; and thence westerly by said Western Avenue to the place of beginning; to be held by said town for school purposes and hereafter referred to as the "Cogswell School Lot."

TWENTY-EIGHTH: I give, devise and bequeath to my executors hereinafter named the sum of One Hundred Twenty-Five Thousand Dollars (\$125,000.00), in trust, however, for the following purposes:

As soon as is reasonably possible after my decease, my said executors shall cause to be erected and equipped upon said Cogswell School Lot a suitable fire proof school building, making provision therein for an adequate assembly hall and for such other rooms and appointments as in the judgment of my executors may be required to meet the high school needs of the town of Henniker, and also to take care of such other school grades as may be deemed expedient.

Said building shall face on said Western Avenue and shall be known as the "Cogswell Memorial School" and shall be thus properly lettered on its front and exterior face; and to some appropriate place in the interior of the building there shall be affixed and forever maintained a bronze tablet with an inscription thereon setting forth that the building was erected in accordance with a legacy given in the will of Leander A. Cogswell to Henniker as a token of genuine regard for his native town.

Said executors shall expend not less than Seventy-Five Thousand Dollars (\$75,000.00), and not more than Ninety Thousand Dollars (\$90,000.00), on account of the construc-

tion and equipment of said high school building, and after said building shall have been completed and accepted by said town of Henniker, my said executors shall pay over to the town of Henniker the difference between the amount expended for such construction and equipment and said principal sum of One Hundred Twenty-Five Thousand Dollars (\$125,000.00), (without accretion on account of any income received therefrom during said construction period) to be held by said town through its legally constituted trustees, in trust safely to invest and reinvest the principal sum so received from said executors, and to use the income therefrom annually for the care and maintenance of said high school building so far as may be deemed necessary, and to accumulate any unexpended balance for future maintenance or improvements, provided, however, that said town or any school district in said town shall, notwithstanding the provisions of this trust, continue hereafter to apply during the current year such amount of school money received by them from any source for the support and maintenance of the public schools of said Henniker or of said high school as they would by law be required to expend if this trust had not been created.

Said executors shall be paid on account of their services in connection with the construction of said school building out of my estate and not out of the principal of the trust fund herein provided for not less than Three Thousand Dollars (\$3,000.00), and not more than Five Thousand Dollars (\$5,000.00), in the aggregate, which sum shall cover said services of all of said executors.

TWENTY-NINTH: I give, devise and bequeath to said town of Henniker a certain lot of land in the village of said Henniker, bounded and described as follows: Beginning at the northeast corner of the premises at a bound set in the ground, being the intersection of the south line of the High School lot extended with the east line of the High School highway; thence southerly on a straight line, being the extended line of the east line of said High School highway, to a bound on or near the bank of the Contoocook River; thence westerly by said Contoocook River to land of heirs of Jonas Wallace; thence in a northeasterly direction by land of Susan Cogswell, Nellie A. Preston and E. Maria Cogswell to the High School land; thence southerly and easterly by said High School land to the place of beginning.

Said lot of land, to be known as the Henniker Athletic Field, shall be forever owned, held and controlled by said town of Henniker, but in trust, however, as a public park, to be used particularly as a playground and for sports and

games, under such rules, regulations and orders as may be prescribed from time to time by the trustees of said town elected to hold trust funds for such purposes; and I also give and bequeath to said town of Henniker the sum of Five Thousand Dollars (\$5,000.00), but in trust, however, to be forever held, invested and reinvested by it through its legally constituted trustees, and to use and expend the net annual income therefrom, through its proper agents, trustees or officers, for the suitable repair, upkeep and improvement of the above described lot of land, so that the object of this gift may be fully enjoyed.

THIRTIETH: I give, devise and bequeath to said town of Henniker a certain lot of land owned by me in the village of said Henniker and located between said Western Avenue and said Contoocook River, just east of said Athletic Field, not otherwise hereinbefore disposed of; said lot of land is to be known as Azalea Park, shall be forever owned, held and controlled by said town of Henniker, but in trust, however, as a public park, under such rules, regulations and orders as may be prescribed from time to time by the trustees of said town elected to hold trust funds for such purposes; and I also give and bequeath to said town of Henniker the sum of Five Thousand Dollars (\$5,000.00), but in trust, however, to be forever held, invested and reinvested by it through its legally constituted trustees, and to use and expend the net annual income therefrom, through its proper agents, trustees or officers, for the suitable repair, upkeep, improvement and embellishment of the above described lot of land, so that the object of this gift may be fully enjoyed.

To the Voters of the Town of Henniker:

Referring to the article in the Town Warrant relative to the transfer of the title to the building known as the "Henniker Academy" to the town of Henniker the Academy Trustees wish to state that in their opinion the best interests of all concerned will be conserved by such transfer provided the town sees fit to accept the trust.

The Academy Building being available at any time for school purposes in the event it should be required for same on account of fire or any other calamity that may happen to the central school building it seems fitting that the town should own and control the building.

The trustees wish further to state that provided the town accepts the building we are turning same over to you in good repair throughout and that the rentals received are sufficient to pay for all necessary repairs and improvements and that consequently no extra burden will be thrown upon the town in the acceptance of this trust.

WALTER A. CONNOR,
DUNCAN P. NOYES,
A. G. PRESTON,

Executive Committee of the Board of

Trustees of the Henniker Academy.

Henniker, N. H., February 16, 1929.

FINANCIAL REPORT

OF THE

TOWN OF HENNIKER

IN

MERRIMACK COUNTY

FOR THE

Fiscal Year Ending January 31, 1929

CERTIFICATE

This is to certify that the information contained in this report was taken from official records and is complete to the best of our knowledge and belief.

Dated January 31, 1929.

EDWARD CONNELLY,
FORREST W. DOWLIN,
WALTER C. PATENAUDE,
Selectmen of Henniker.

WILLIAM L. CHILDS,
Treasurer

BALANCE

Town of Henniker

ASSETS*Cash:*

In hands of treasurer	\$5,133.67	
In hand of treasurer of water works	1,166.72	
Memorial Day appropriation	7.12	
Material and supplies, water works	559.61	
Carter Land	300.00	
	<hr/>	\$7,167.12

Accounts Due to the Town .

Due from State:

For payments after settlement	\$1,338.12	
Trunk Line maintenance	1,389.28	
State Aid maintenance	631.07	
	<hr/>	\$3,358.47

Due from County:

Aid furnished Gagne family	\$458.50	
	<hr/>	\$458.50

Total Assets	\$10,984.09
Excess of liabilities over assets (Net debt)	61,722.40

Grand Total	\$72,706.49
Net debt—Surplus, January 31, 1928	59,984.43
Net debt—Surplus, January 31, 1929	61,722.40

Increase of debt	\$1,737.97
Purpose for which debt was created:	
Road Grader	2,800.00

Net debt decreased	\$1,062.23
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SHEET

January 31, 1929

LIABILITIES*Accounts Owed by the Town:*

Due to School Districts:

Dog licenses	\$313.96	
Balance on elementary appo. ..	3,938.08	
	<hr/>	\$4,252.04

State and Town Joint Highway

Accounts:

Unexpended balance in State Treasury	\$2,020.35	
Unexpended balance in Town Treasury	1,346.90	
	<hr/>	\$3,367.25

Long Term Notes Outstanding:

Road Construction	\$14,087.20
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Bonds Outstanding:

Water works	\$45,000.00	
Note Henniker Trust Funds ...	5,000.00	
Temporary note	1,000.00	
	<hr/>	\$51,000.00

Total Liabilities	<hr/>	\$72,706.49
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Grand total	<hr/>	\$72,706.49
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RECEIPTS AND

RECEIPTS

Current Revenue:

From Local Taxes:

Property taxes com-	
mitted to collector,	
1928	\$36,067.43
Less abatement, 1928 ..	19.20

1. Property taxes current year, ac-		
tually collected	\$36,048.23	
2. Poll taxes, current year, actually		
collected, 735 at \$2.00.....	1,470.00	
4. National Bank Stock taxes	13.00	
Total of above collection		\$37,531.23
Subsequent tax		80.40

From State:

\$37,611.63

5. For highways:		
For classified roads	\$524.02	
For State Aid maintenance	381.20	
For State Aid construction ...	1,293.78	
For Trunk Line maintenance ..	379.09	
For Trunk Line construction ..	1,695.50	
6. Interest and dividend tax	4,431.44	
7. Insurance tax	255.08	
8. Railroad tax	333.30	
9. Savings bank tax	2,918.74	
11. Fighting forest fires	26.23	
12. Bounties	26.80	
		\$12,265.18.

From County:

13. For support of poor	\$233.34
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From Local Sources, Except Taxes:

15.	Dog licenses	\$313.96
16.	Business licenses and permits ..	40.50
18.	Rent of town property	213.01
19.	Interest received on taxes	32.26
20.	Interest received on deposits ..	102.00
23.	Income from departments	255.28
25.	Permits for the registration of motor vehicles	1,846.13
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		\$2,803.14

Total Current Receipts Revenue\$52,913.29

PAYMENTS

PAYMENTS

Current Maintenance Expenses:

General Government:

1. Town officers' salaries	\$1,448.44	
2. Town officers' expenses	785.88	
3. Election and registration ex- penses	218.88	
4. Expenses town hall and other town buildings	1,076.76	
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		\$3,529.96

Protection of Persons and Property:

5. Police department, including care of tramps	\$378.74	
6. Fire department, including forest fires	1,364.29	
7. Moth extermination — blister rust	416.24	
8. Bounties	32.20	
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		\$2,191.47

Health:

9. Health department	\$562.51	
10. Vital statistics	23.40	
11. Sewer maintenance	26.69	
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		\$612.60

Highway and Bridges:

12. Weare road maintenance ...	\$1,526.13	
13. State Aid maintenance	2,010.32	
14. Trunk Line maintenance	2,793.28	
15. Town maintenance	7,478.71	
16. Street lighting and sprinkling	1,333.33	
17. General expenses of highway department, including watering troughs	1,115.39	
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		\$16,257.16

Charities:

18. Town poor	\$492.05	
19. County poor	467.44	
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		\$959.49

Patriotic Purposes:

20. Aid to G. A. R. Memorial Day exercises	\$100.00	
21. Cemeteries, incl. hearse hire.....	\$286.71	
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Total Current Maintenance expenses		\$23,937.39
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RECEIPTS AND

Total receipts brought forward	\$52,913.29
<i>Receipts Other Than Current Revenue:</i>	
27. Temporary loans in anticipation of taxes during year	\$14,000.00
28. Long term notes during year ..	2,800.00
32. Refunds	39.60
33. Gifts	1,524.90
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Total Receipts Other Than Cur- rent Revenue	\$18,364.50
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Total receipts from All Sources	\$71,277.79
Cash on hand February 1, 1928	\$13,275.10
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Grand Total	\$84,552.89

PAYMENTS

Total payments brought forward..... \$23,937.39

Interest:

22. Paid on temporary loans in
anticipation of taxes \$240.13
Paid on long term notes 801.89

Total Interest Payments .. \$1,042.02

*Outlay for New Construction and
Permanent Improvements:*

23. State Aid construction \$3,889.01
24. Trunk Line construction 3,716.61
25. New equipment 2,800.00

Total Outlay Payments \$10,405.62

Indebtedness:

26. Payments on temporary loans
in anticipation of taxes .. \$14,000.00
27. Payments on long term notes 4,103.50

Total Indebtedness Payments \$18,103.50

Payments to Other Governmental Divisions:

28. Taxes paid to State \$4,200.25
Taxes paid to County 2,382.12
29. Payments to School Districts 19,348.32

Total Payments to Other Gov-
ernmental Divisions \$25,930.69

Total Payments for all Purposes \$79,419.22
Cash on hand January 31, 1929 5,133.67

Grand Total \$84,552.89

SCHEDULE OF TOWN PROPERTY

Town Hall, lands and buildings	\$10,000.00
Furniture and equipment	500.00
Libraries, lands and buildings	20,000.00
Furniture and equipment	7,500.00
Fire Department, lands and buildings	3,000.00
Equipment	1,200.00
Highway Department, lands and buildings	11,000.00
Materials and supplies	800.00
Parks, Commons, and Playgrounds	2,500.00
Water Supply, owned by Town	57,000.00
Schools, lands and buildings	21,000.00
Equipment	3,000.00
All other Property and Equipment:	
3 safes and hearse	400.00
Total	\$137,900.00

DETAIL NO. 1

Salaries of Officers

Paid—	
Walter A. Connor, services of auditors	\$24.00
Forrest W. Dowlin, service as selectman	240.00
Edward Connelly, service as selectman	538.00
Walter C. Patenaude, service as selectman	120.00
W. L. Childs, service as treasurer	100.00
Ralph H. Gilchrist, service as town clerk	50.00
W. C. Goss, service as tax collector	376.44
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	\$1,448.44

DETAIL NO. 2

Town Officers' Expenses

Edson C. Eastman, books, blanks, etc.	\$122.60
John H. Falvey, postage stamps	25.00
D. A. Maxwell, printing town reports	279.00
D. A. Maxwell, town warrants and blanks	11.15
Alice M. Farley, copying inventory and tax book	20.00
Forrest W. Dowlin, use of car and horse	29.50
Edward Connelly, cash adv. and use of car	20.15
Con. Valley Tel. Co., telephone service	19.25
Edmund H. Brown, recording deeds, etc.	7.22
Noyes & Gilchrist, bonds	55.00
Mechanicks National Bank, safety deposit box ..	5.00
Automotive Service Bureau, auto information..	16.59
A. W. Rowell, treas., N. H. Assessor's dues	2.00
H. B. Preston, notices in paper .....	.50
W. H. Haskell, repairing chairs .....	.75
I. Eugene Keeler, copy of will	3.50
W. L. Childs, cash advanced	3.36
H. B. Preston, expenses as trustee	27.08
Ralph H. Gilchrist, cash advanced .....	.23
Walter C. Patenaude, use of car	23.00
Ralph H. Gilchrist, issuing 460 auto permits ...	115.00
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	\$785.88

DETAIL NO. 3

Election and Registration

Paid—

Henrietta C. Falvey, services as supervisor	\$54.00
Edson C. Eastman, checklists and tally sheets . .	8.20
H. B. Preston, services as moderator	14.00
Silas A. Rowe, services as supervisor	36.00
H. L. Holmes, services as supervisor	36.00
Maude M. Tucker, meals of officers	38.68
W. J. Parmenter, services as ballot clerk	4.00
Harry L. Tucker, services as ballot clerk	8.00
Arthur C. Graves, s rvices as ballot clerk	8.00
John A. Connelly, services as ballot clerk	8.00
Walter A. Connor, services as ballot clerk	4.00

 \$218.88

DETAIL NO. 4

Expenses Town Hall and Other Buildings

Paid—

W. D. Brill, care of engine house furnace	\$45.00
H. W. Balch, coal engine house	280.08
Noyes & Gilchrist, insurance town hall	27.50
William H. Bean, insurance town hall	27.50
New Hampshire Power Co., lighting	45.90
William F. Craig, sawing wood	3.50
Peaslee Bros., wood town hall	14.00
Edward Connelly, mat rial and labor	176.75
William H. Bean, insurance on engine house . .	25.50
H. A. Carnes, lumber for booths	1.40
Cogswell Spring Water Works, water rent	16.00
F. L. Chase, material engine house	3.56
E. M. Gammell, mowing town common	5.00
George L. Allen, labor town hall stage	165.10
K. & C. Mfg. Co., paint town hall stage	3.55
O. L. Story, curtain roll	12.00
F. L. Chase, material for stage	15.78
Howard Carnes, lumber for stage	2.90
Concord Lumber Co., lumber for engine house .	19.47
J. H. Damour plastering engine house	13.25
M. S. Stone, labor at engine house	26.95
F. W. Dowlin, labor at town common	4.55
J. F. Garland, labor at town common	24.55
Leonard W. Whitney, mowing engine house grounds	5.00

W. C. Goss, wood for engine house	19.00
Frank Hooper, sawing wood	2.66
G. H. Brill, labor laying floor	11.10
Mr. and Mrs. J. F. Pickering, cleaning engine house	20.00
J. E. Marshall, labor and material, engine house	13.30
Goodnow-Derby Co., supplies	7.13
Walter C. Patenaude, lumber engine house	26.88
E. M. Gammell, labor town common	11.90

\$1,076.76

DETAIL NO. 5

Protection of Persons and Property

Paid—

J. E. Marshall, police service	\$73.11
Otto C. Schacht, police service	75.36
Guy H. Brill, police service	102.00
H. B. Preston, traffic notice	2.75
Edward Connelly, paint, pipe, fitting and labor	27.67
Dominion Signal Co., warning signals	54.80
Guy H. Brill, care of 123 tramps	43.05

\$378.74

DETAIL NO. 6

Fire Department, Including Forest Fires

Paid—

H. A. Cummings, forest fire warden, forest fire expense	\$52.45
J. E. Marshall, labor on fire hose	9.80
Cogswell Spring Water Works, hydrant rental..	1,087.00
Goodnow-Derby Co., rope	2.64
General Taylor Engine Co., expense at fires ..	100.40
General Taylor Engine Co., pay roll	90.00
Fire engineers, pay roll	20.00
G. W. Chappell, filling extinguishers	2.00

\$1,364.29

DETAIL NO. 7

White Pine Blister Rust and Moths

Paid—

John H. Foster, state forester, white pine blister rust appropriation	\$400.00
George W. Wyman, spraying for moths	16.24

\$416.24

DETAIL NO. 8

Bounties

Paid—	
Edward Connelly, cash advanced for 111 heads	\$22.20
F. W. Dowlin, cash advanced for 50 heads	10.00
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	\$32.20

DETAIL NO. 9

Health Department

Paid—	
J. W. Collins, labor at dump	\$30.75
Louis H. Clark, labor at dump	7.00
Edward Connelly, express oil and labor	3.83
Public Health Association, 1928 appropriation	500.00
J. Fred Garland, labor for men	6.19
William H. Bean, estate, service and express paid	6.00
F. H. Cleveland, expense as health officer	8.74
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	\$562.51

DETAIL NO. 10

Vital Statistics

Paid—	
Ralph H. Gilchrist, recording marriages, births, and deaths	\$11.40
Ralph H. Gilchrist, cash paid the following:	
W. P. Grimes, M. D., reporting 1 death ....	.25
C. B. Abbott, M. D., reporting 2 deaths ....	.50
W. L. Kilso, M. D., reporting 1 birth .....	.25
R. H. Haselton, M. D., reporting 4 deaths, 11 births	3.75
C. G. MacDuffie, M. D., reporting 4 deaths, 9 births	3.25
Geo. H. Sanborn, M. D., reporting 7 deaths ..	1.75
Geo. S. Bailey, M. D., reporting 2 births ....	.50
Donald McIver, M. D., reporting 1 death ....	.25
C. B. Abbott, M. D., reporting year 1927, 1 birth .....	.25
Rev. Wm. Thompson, reporting 2 marriages	.50
Rev. Paris E. Miller, reporting 3 marriages..	.75
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	\$23.40

DETAIL NO. 11

Sewer Maintenance

Paid—	
Edward Connelly, men digging and relaying pipe	\$26.69

DETAIL NO. 12

Weare Road Maintenance

Paid—	
A. S. Rush and team	\$232.16
L. W. Rush, labor	52.18
Grover Peaslee, and truck	72.00
Louis H. Clark	21.00
John H. Fellows	27.44
H. S. Clement and men	14.75
R. S. Goss	8.89
W. C. Goss and truck	15.00
Paul Damour	3.25
American Tar Co., tarvia	919.60
J. J. Eldridge, labor	8.31
E. W. Muzzey	3.25
Wesley Herrick	3.25
John H. Falvey, sand	5.90
J. B. Theraux, labor and sand	139.15
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	\$1,526.13

DETAIL NO. 13

State Aid Maintenance

(Grover Peaslee, Patrolman)

Money Available	State	Town	Total
Balance	\$626.79	\$351.20	\$877.99
Appropriation, 1928	2,220.00	1,480.00	3,700.00
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Total appropriation	\$2,846.79	\$1,831.20	\$4,577.99
Expended	2,115.72	1,410.48	3,526.20
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Balance	\$631.07	\$420.72	\$1,051.79

Accounted for as follows:

Paid—	
Grover Peaslee, patrolman	\$233.00
Louis H. Clark	36.66

John H. Fellows	168.17
Town truck, No. 1	216.00
John J. Eldridge	58.86
H. D. Patterson	49.30
Paul Damour	28.52
Edward Connelly	46.93
E. W. Muzzey	93.17
George E. Jones	21.48
Linn Davis	30.33
L. W. Rush	3.25
Phil Cushman	3.67
Ronald Daniels	16.07
K. H. Crain	18.60
Graydon Clark	15.35
Boyd Carnes	3.25
Fred H. Hackett	3.25
Wesley Herrick	18.96
C. W. Davis and truck	121.00
Wallace Cochrane and truck	100.83
W. C. Goss, and truck	98.33
George F. Campbell, and team	7.00
Boston & Maine Railroad, freight	49.86
Alexander Kriestier	26.54
Bernard Hall	15.35
Gordon Noyes	1.25
Paul Sturtevant	6.39
Theron Jameson	7.94
Earl Haselton	2.50
Harold Haselton	2.50
Allen Ernest	5.56
Luther Clark	1.44
C. W. Martin	5.60
Raymond Peaslee	4.33
H. J. Hope, posts	4.75
D. P. Noyes, posts	2.75
Goodnow-Derby Co.	25.12
H. S. Clement and men	237.82
Expended after settlement	218.64
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Total amount drawn	\$2,010.32
Paid by State—	
Paint	\$7.67
K. Patch	33.33
Use of truck	46.61

Tarvia	1,631.30
Engineering	15.61
Cash paid town	381.20

\$2,115.72

DETAIL NO. 14

Trunk Line Maintenance

(Grover Peaslee, Patrolman)

Money Available	State	Town	Total
Balance	\$2,360.17	\$1,573.46	\$3,933.63
Appropriation, 1928 .	1,050.00	700.00	1,750.00
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Total appropriation	\$3,410.17	\$2,273.46	\$5,683.63
Expended	2,020.89	1,347.28	3,368.17
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Balance	\$1,389.28	\$962.18	\$2,315.46
Paid—			
Grover Peaslee, patrolman			\$346.28
John H. Fellows			213.86
Louis H. Clark			101.64
C. H. White			4.00
F. W. Dowlin			1.33
George F. Campbell			3.25
H. L. Moody			3.25
Lester Farrar			1.08
Paul Damour			22.39
Truck No. 1			329.78
Truck No. 2			4.00
Edward Connelly			87.71
H. D. Patterson			31.30
F. L. Chase			1.49
J. J. Eldridge			88.32
Boston & Maine Railroad			61.01
Dyar Sales and Machine Co.			13.23
E. W. Muzzey			66.81
George E. Jones			3.25
Malcom Hall			4.69
K. H. Crain			12.28
Wesley Herrick			6.13
Theron Jameson			12.28
Allen Ernest			2.50
Paul Sturtevant			2.50
C. W. Davis, and truck			10.00
W. C. Goss, and truck			66.67

Wallace Cochrane and truck	8.33
Raymond Peaslee	8.31
Linn Davis	6.50
Graydon Clark	3.61
Leao Susie	4.33
Varel Peaslee .....	.83
C. W. Martin	7.20
Elmer Greene	4.33
H. S. Clement, and men	181.90

\$1,726.37

Expended after settlement with state 1,066.91

\$2,793.28

As follows:

Grover Peaslee and truck	392.88
John H. Fellows	147.00
E. W. Muzzey	73.32
Charles W. Martin	34.40
J. F. Garland	8.80
Robie Concrete Co.	407.47
Goodnow-Derby Co.	3.04

Paid by State:

Cold patch	\$601.37
Tarvia	686.59
Paint	40.99
Truck	55.67
Brooms	1.68
Engineering	50.70
Cash to town	379.09
H. S. Clement	204.80

\$2,020.89

DETAIL NO. 15

Town Highway Maintenance

(R. N. Farley, Agent)

Paid—

R. N. Farley, services as road agent	\$781.50
Henry White, truck driver	653.77
Henry Moody, men and teams	651.42
Ai Rowe, labor	438.24
Arthur Sanborn, labor and use of car	273.11
Frank Putney, labor	133.62
John Emery, labor	466.94

Fred Hackett, labor	381.35
Boyd Carnes, labor	224.45
Harry A. Tucker, labor	359.49
John Bauer	448.16
Harold Farley, truck driver	28.44
Fred T. Connor, use truck	25.00
W. C. Goss and truck and men	10.00
E. B. McCabe, men and team	5.70
Harold A. Tucker, and team	3.89
Arden Moody, and team	58.00
W. F. Maguire, and team	7.00
A. S. Rush, and team	11.55
Arnold Morse, and tractor	11.50
E. B. Severance, man and truck	60.00
Fred Silky, and team	23.33
Charles Ray, labor	6.50
Allen Morse, labor	3.61
F. I. Morse, labor	3.61
Goodnow-Derby Co., tools and supplies	6.97
F. L. Chase, tools and supplies	16.32
James L. Armstrong, repairing tools	12.25
Edward Connelly, kerosene, etc.	3.45
Carrie Bacon, grade	28.50
John Clark, grade	22.70
W. F. Maguire, grade	21.80
Ernest Carnes, grade	16.60
S. Q. A. Newton, grade	13.20
A. G. Preston, grade	11.00
C. S. Ray, grade	9.00
Annie Brown, grade	8.00
Curtis Sherman, grade	6.50
Fred Silky, grade	6.50
W. E. Boynton, grade	6.80
J. W. Plummer, grade	5.50
George Hooper, grade	3.80
Charles Felch, grade	3.30
Charles Farrar	2.00
R. T. Morrison	1.50

Total expended by R. N. Farley, agent ... \$5,275.87

Paid to others—

H. C. Hadley	\$5.75
H. W. Ayer, tires, gas, oil, labor, etc.	87.15
Dyer Sales and Machinery Co., stone boat	18.13
F. W. Dowlin	122.40

Louis H. Clark, labor	44.00
James L. Armstrong	24.10
Theron Jameson	7.76
Robert S. Goss	342.44
Edward Connelly, gas, oil, etc.	25.92
William F. Flanders, posts	4.25
American Tar Co., oil	262.57
Charles W. Martin, labor on railing	149.05
J. Fred Garland, labor on railing	56.40
Harry Lyford	24.56
Walter C. Patenaude	210.27
W. C. Goss, posts	6.72

Expense at Steel Bridge

F. W. Dowlin, and truck	\$42.00
R. N. Farley	7.00
John Emory	9.75
Fred Hackett	9.75
John Bauer	9.75
Frank Putney	13.00
Ai Rowe	3.25
Frank Boynton	13.00
Elmer Boynton	13.00
Harold Farley	12.00
Walter C. Patenaude, man and teams	49.00
A. W. Sanborn	12.00
F. W. Dowlin, men and teams	70.78
H. L. Moody, men and team	17.11
Clyde Derby	6.14
W. F. Pinfield	46.22
Harold Haselton	3.33
W. F. Carter	3.25
Gilbert Cote	55.00
Elwood French	12.28
Beacon Sales Co., carbosota	40.79
Max Israel, 2x4 spruce	327.80
Goodnow-Derby Co., tools, etc.	6.53
K. & C. Mfg. Co., stone	2.00
Martha Graham, stone	16.50
Jasper Clark, stone	3.00
Edward Connelly, oil and labor	2.64
G. N. Bartemus Co., cement	4.50

\$7,478.71

DETAIL NO. 16

Lighting Streets

Paid—

New Hampshire Power Co.	\$1,333.33
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DETAIL NO. 17

General Expenses

Paid—

R. N. Farley, snow plowing	\$30.50
Oliver Parker, snow plowing	17.23
Henry White, snow plowing	37.78
Paul Damour, snow plowing	6.32
C. W. Watson & Sons, Inc., repairs	85.45
Edward Connelly, gas, oil and labor	299.97
Concord Foundry & Machinery Co., grates	11.60
Earl C. Whitcomb, shoveling snow	9.60
Cogswell Spring Water Works, water rent	6.00
Boston & Maine Railroad, freight	49.42
Kingsbury & Davis, making parts for tractor ...	4.75
H. N. Pike, cutting bushes	3.25
Frank J. Boyd, parts for tractor	26.55
W. E. Dunbar & Sons, parts for tractor	32.00
Acme Road Machinery Co., road drag	32.70
Boutwell Garage Inc., parts for grader	33.00
F. W. Dowlin, labor on old trough	23.33
Frank Putney, labor on old trough	16.25
John Pickering	18.78
Gilbert Cate	14.22
Henry Barry	3.25
Lester Farrar, and team	21.00
G. N. Bartemus Co., cement .....	.75
Grover Peaslee, labor on watering tr. and walks	6.50
F. E. Norton & Sons, Inc., watering trough ...	4.00
John H. Fellows, labor on sidewalks	3.50
H. W. Balch, plowing sidewalks	27.85
F. W. Dowlin, and men, labor on tractor and plowing snow	43.74
Gilbert Cote, rent watering trough	2.00
M. W. Morse, rent watering trough	2.00
Ida M. Barnes, rent watering trough	2.00
Frank M. Stacy, plowing snow	8.99

Guy H. Brill, labor on tractor and plowing	43.66
H. W. Ayer, labor, gas, oil, etc.	191.01
Robert Goss, labor on tractor	8.34

\$1,127.29

DETAIL NO. 18

Town Poor

Paid—	
New Hampshire Orphans' Home, care and board	
Charlie Flanders	\$181.00
Merrimack County Farm, board and care Ella	
Carter	116.00
Arthur H. Stone, opening grave	7.00
H. L. Holmes, funeral expenses of E. Carter . . .	88.00
F. L. Chase, paid Ed. Vitty	95.05
Cummings, lettering E. Carter's monument . . .	5.00

\$492.05

DETAIL NO. 19

County Poor

Paid—	
Goodnow-Derby, paid dependent soldier	\$8.94
A. S. Stone, opening Louis Gagne grave	6.00
Mrs. F. L. Durgin, board and care of Gagne	
children	370.50
Madeline Tucker, transportation Gagne children	
to Franklin	7.00
H. L. Holmes, funeral expense of Louis Gagne	75.00

\$467.44

DETAIL NO. 20

Memorial Day Appropriation

Paid—	
William F. Norton, commander	\$100.00

DETAIL NO. 21

Cemeteries Including Driving Hearse

Paid—	
Henniker Cemetery Association, care of lots	
Goss Cemetery	\$3.36
Care of lots, Old Cemetery	19.50
H. L. Holmes, hearse account	115.00

Edward Connelly	3.85
J. F. Garland, and men, Goss Cemetery	145.00

\$286.71

DETAIL NO. 22

Interest

Paid—

Hillsboro Guaranty Savings Bank	\$586.26
First National Bank	240.13
Frank J. Constantine, int. on note, No. 17	40.00
Geo. W. Sargent estate, int. on note, No. 7 and 8	80.00
Delia Dowlin, int. on note, No. 9	21.40
Hattie F. Holder, int. on note, No. 11	20.59
Julia A. Hanson, int. on note, No. 13	20.14
W. L. Childs, on note, No. 14	33.50

\$1,042.02

List of Outstanding Town Notes:

Frank J. Constantine	\$1,000.00
Delia C. Dowlin	535.00
Hattie F. Holder	514.65
Julia A. Hanson	400.00
W. L. Childs	837.55
Hillsboro Guaranty Savings Bank	10,800.00

\$14,087.20

DETAIL NO. 23

State Aid Construction

Paid—

F. W. Dowlin, foreman	\$291.34
F. W. Dowlin, use truck	125.20
Gilbert Cote, labor	172.12
Frank Putney, labor	170.41
A. E. Davis, labor	118.80
John Pickering, labor	178.21
F. W. Dowlin, men and teams	99.91
Elwood French	77.28
Robert Goss, labor	12.78
C. W. Davis, and truck	590.00
George E. Jones, labor	67.17
Lindley Gammell, labor	94.61
Curtis P. Sherman, gravel	143.80
D. P. Noyes, gravel	2.60

Goodnow & Derby, supplies	16.22
Arden Moody, and team	14.00
H. C. Werden, dynamite	43.25
F. T. Connor, man and truck	288.00
Harry Lyford, labor	47.67
Perley Brady, labor	78.72
Eddie Gagnon, labor	59.23
J. B. Theroux, labor	122.43
Lynn Davis, labor	56.69
E. B. Severence, man and truck	210.67
George W. Wyman, labor	92.63
H. N. Pike, labor	41.70
Hiram Mitchell, labor	53.44
Tom Owen, labor	26.00
Grover Peaslee, and truck	65.33
A. W. Sanborn, labor	60.00
Cecil Mitchell, labor	48.03
John Fellows, labor	2.33
W. L. Pinfield, labor	4.00
Harold Presby, labor	19.50
J. A. Graham, dynamite	12.00
A. S. Rush, and team	26.44
J. H. Theroux, labor	51.28
Use of tractor, amount not drawn	510.00

Amount approved by state	\$4,093.79
Expended after settlement with state	305.22

\$4,399.01

Less amount not drawn

510.00

Total amount drawn

\$3,889.01

Paid by State—

Culverts

\$253.60

Engineering

20.87

Cash to town

1,293.78

\$1,568.25

DETAIL NO. 24

Trunk Line Construction

Paid—

F. W. Dowlin, foreman

\$248.00

F. W. Dowlin, men and teams

342.14

F. W. Dowlin, use truck

75.20

C. V. Paper Co., use mixer

4.00

C. W. Davis, and truck	436.00
Grover Peaslee, and truck	52.00
John Fellows, labor	14.00
George W. Wyman, labor	86.49
Ed. Muzzey, labor	23.12
Bennie Humes, labor	14.81
Henry Moody, man and team	108.11
F. T. Connor, man and truck	260.67
E. B. Severence, man and truck	132.00
Frank Putney, labor	109.16
W. C. Patenaude, lumber	19.84
Goodnow & Derby, supplies	15.84
A. S. Rush, gravel	17.60
Archie Morse, labor	24.19
C. C. Hadley, labor and gas	20.65
Henry White, and truck	42.67
R. N. Farley, labor	16.00
Wilbur Richardson, labor	40.26
John Eldridge, labor	14.44
Sherman Wilkins, labor	97.88
J. Fred Garland, labor	13.50
John Emery, labor	11.56
John Bauer, labor	11.56
Fred Hackett, labor	11.56
Ai Rowe, labor	11.56
H. D. Patterson, gravel	6.10
F. W. Dowlin, gravel	5.90
H. W. Ayer, repairing tools	14.25
G. N. Bartemus, cement	75.75
J. A. Graham, dynamite	3.23
W. C. Goss, belt lacing and use truck	11.17
Edward Connelly, supplies	64.89
A. W. Sanborn	121.11
Gilbert Cote, mason	123.34
Kenneth Crane, labor	48.57
Bernard Hall, labor	62.12
H. A. Tucker, labor	11.56
Earle Hazelton, labor	17.50
Harold Hazelton, labor	17.50
Harry Lyford, labor	98.23
Eddie Gagnon, labor	30.51
Frank Crane, labor	5.06
Theron Jameson, labor	5.06
William Barnard, and truck	64.58
Clarence King, labor	40.81
David Whiting & Sons, coal	37.63

A. S. Rush, man and team	66.89
P. O. Russell, labor	13.36
Wesley Herrick, labor	39.00
Harold Seabury, labor	50.02
Ellwood French, labor	42.25
Everett Tandy, labor	35.76
Henry Barry, labor	25.10
H. H. Huntington, labor	5.60
Arden Moody, man and team	93.73
A. L. Ames, man and team	7.00
Raymond Davis, labor	46.77
J. B. Theroux, labor	3.61
J. H. Theroux, labor	3.61
Marshall Gilchrist, labor	4.15
W. H. Hawlett, labor	6.50
Total	\$3,583.03
Expended after settlement	133.58
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	\$3,716.61
Paid by State—	
Culverts	\$152.35
Cable and fittings	39.68
Cash to town	1,695.50
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	\$1,889.53

DETAIL NO. 25

New Equipment

Paid—	
W. E. Dunbar & Sons, tractor and grader	\$2,800.00

DETAIL NO. 26

Temporary Loans in Anticipation of Taxes

Paid—	
First National Bank	\$14,000.00

DETAIL NO. 27

Long Term Notes

Paid—	
Guaranty Savings Bank, Note No. 28	\$2,000.00
George W. Sargent, estate, Note No. 7 and 8...	2,000.00
Julia A. Hanson, part of Note No. 13	103.50
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	\$4,103.50

DETAIL NO. 28

State and County Taxes

Paid—

Henry E. Chamberlain, state treasurer	\$4,200.25
John L. T. Shaw, county treasurer	2,382.12
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	\$6,582.37

DETAIL NO. 29

Payments to School Districts

Paid—

H. B. Preston, treas., balance on 1927 appro. ..	\$6,000.00
H. B. Preston, treas., 1927 dog money	329.03
H. B. Preston, treas., special repairs	500.00
H. B. Preston, treas., per capita tax	530.00
H. B. Preston, treas., supt. excess salary	314.29
H. B. Preston, treas., noon lunches	50.00
H. B. Preston, treas., salary of district officers..	275.00
H. B. Preston, treas., books and supplies	300.00
H. B. Preston, treas., elementary appro.	6,050.00
H. B. Preston, treas., high school appro.	5,000.00
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	\$19,348.32

ESTIMATE OF TAXES TO BE RAISED IN 1929

State tax	
County tax	
Town charges	\$1,000.00
Lighting streets	1,520.00
Library appropriation amount by law for 1928 and 1929	
Fire department	700.00
Maintenance state aid roads	2,000.00
Maintenance trunk line roads	2,000.00
To secure aid for state aid construction	2,112.00
Highways and bridges	5,000.00
Hydrants	1,087.00
Memorial day appropriation	100.00
Public health nursing association	500.00
Prevention of white pine blister rust	400.00

TOWN VALUATION—APRIL 1, 1928

Real estate, 24,343 acres	\$1,009,740.00
Horses, 214	16,615.00
Mules, 1	40.00
Oxen, 15	1,745.00
Cows, 574	46,825.00
Neat stock, 127	7,220.00
Sheep, 121	1,048.00
Hogs, 7	135.00
Fowl, 3,718	5,589.00
Portable mills, 13	2,480.00
Value of wood and lumber	19,817.00
Gasoline pumps and tanks	3,630.00
Value of stock in trade	80,600.00
Value of mills and machinery	213,400.00
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Total taxable valuation	\$1,408,884.00
Soldiers exemptions	2,875.00
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Total valuation of town	\$1,411,759.00
Rate of tax on \$100.00 valuation, \$2.56	

TAXES RAISED IN 1928

State tax	\$4,200.25
County tax	2,382.12
Town charges	1,000.00
Repair highways and bridges	5,000.00
Maintenance state aid roads	1,480.00
Maintenance trunk line roads	700.00
Contoocook Valley federal aid	2,000.00
Weare Road	1,500.00
Public Health nursing association	500.00
Memorial day appropriation	100.00
Hyrant appropriation	1,087.00
Fire department	500.00
Street lighting	1,520.00
White pine blister rust prevention	400.00
Goss cemetery	200.00
Repair of town hall scenery	200.00
Overlay	1,867.69
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Town tax	\$24,637.06

For schools, \$5, on each \$1,000 of of equalized valuation	\$9,988.08
High school	5,000.00
Salaries of district officers	275.00
Superintendent's excess salary	314.29
\$2.00 per capita tax for supervision	530.00
Books and supplies	300.00
Noon lunches	50.00
Special repairs	500.00
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School tax	\$16,957.37
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Total	\$41,594.43

REPORT OF MOTOR TRUCKS

Truck No. 1—	
In use 211 $\frac{2}{9}$ days at \$4.00	\$844.88
694 $\frac{1}{2}$ gallons gasoline used	\$163.58
95 $\frac{1}{2}$ quarts oil used	29.60
Grease75
Labor and material on truck	121.15
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Balance in favor of truck	\$315.08
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	529.80
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	\$844.88
Truck No. 2—	
In use 163 $\frac{4}{9}$ days at \$4.00	653.78
587 gallons gasoline used	\$138.91
177 $\frac{1}{2}$ quarts oil used	53.50
Grease	5.34
Labor and material on truck	187.25
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Balance in favor of truck	\$385.00
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	268.78
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	\$653.78

TOWN CLERK'S REPORT

Automobile Registration for Year of 1928

Number of permits for registration of automobiles issued	460
Cash received for registration permits	\$1,846.13
Paid William L. Childs, treasurer	\$1,846.13
Respectfully submitted, RALPH H. GILCHRIST, <i>Town Clerk.</i>	

February 1, 1929.

Dog License Report 1928

Number of male dog licensed	91 @ \$2.00	\$182.00
Number of male dogs licensed ...	1 @ 1.50	1.50
Number of male dogs licensed ...	1 @ 1.00	1.00
Number of female dogs licensed .	25 @ 5.00	125.00
Number of kennels licensed	1 @ 25.00	25.00
Number of kennels licensed	1 @ 12.00	12.00

\$346.50

Credit

June 2.	Paid E. C. Eastman Co., for dog tags	\$8.54
	Town clerk's commission, 120 @ 20c	24.00
	Paid William L. Childs, treasurer...	313.96

\$346.50

Respectfully submitted,
RALPH H. GILCHRIST,
Town Clerk.

February 1, 1929.

TOWN TREASURER'S REPORT

Cash on hand February 1, 1928	\$5,275.10
Certificate of deposit	8,000.00
Received from—	
W. C. Goss, tax collector, tax 1928	37,531.23
W. C. Goss, tax col., subsequent tax 1928...	80.40
W. C. Goss, tax col., interest on tax, 1928...	32.26
R. H. Gilchrist, clerk, dog tax, 1928	313.96
R. H. Gilchrist, clerk, automobile tax, 1928..	1,846.13

R. H. Gilchrist, clerk, filing fees	8.00
Leonard Whitney, rent of town hall	213.01
Selectmen, Hillsboro county, aid of paupers ..	233.34
Selectmen, Irene McAlpine, extra insurance on town hall	10.00
Selectmen, O. N. Parker, 2 gals. tractor oil ..	2.00
Selectmen, F. H. Corser, pool room license..	20.00
Selectmen, interest on certificate of deposit..	102.00
Selectmen, state for forest fire bills	26.23
Selectmen, state for bounty on hedgehogs ...	26.80
Selectmen, refund on freight on concrete pipe	39.60
Selectmen, Harold S. Clement, use of tractor	166.00
Selectmen, state, insurance tax	255.08
Selectmen, state, railroad tax	333.30
Selectmen, state savings bank tax	2,918.74
Selectmen, state, tax on interest and dividends tax	4,431.14
Selectmen, state, interest on tax on interest and dividends tax .....	.30
Selectmen, H. A. Tucker, for lumber	2.60
Selectmen, L. A. Cogswell, estate, for interest charges on federal aid construction No. 206C	1,524.90
Selectmen, Ida Badger, for plank	9.28
Selectmen, Helen Sawyer, for akron pipe ...	.90
Selectmen, Edward Connelly for old paper..	.28
Selectmen, Robert Goss, for old pipe	3.71
Selectmen, Emma Colby, for old pipe	4.73
Selectmen, L. O. Cooper, for old pipe .....	.84
Selectmen, F. W. Dowlin, for wood railing ..	2.16
Selectmen, R. N. Farley, error week of Oct. 13	.50
Selectmen, permits to carry fire arms	2.50
Selectmen, balance for use of truck No. 1	62.28
Selectmen, First National bank, notes	14,000.00
Selectmen, Guaranty Savings bank, note	2,800.00
Selectmen, state, maintenance of classified highways	524.02
Selectmen, state, for state aid maintenance ..	381.20
Selectmen, state, for trunk line maintenance .	379.09

Selectmen, state, for trunk line construction..	1,695.50
Selectmen, state, for state aid construction ..	1,293.78
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Total receipts	\$84,552.89
Paid by order of selectmen	79,419.22
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Cash on hand February 1, 1929	\$5,133.67
Respectfully submitted,	
W. L. CHILDS,	
Treasurer.	

REPORT OF W. C. GOSS

Tax Collector 1928

Amount of 1928 tax to collect	\$37,594.43
Collected and paid town treasurer ..	\$37,531.23 ..
Abatements	63.20
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	\$37,594.43
Subsequent tax	\$80.40
Interest collected	32.26
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Paid town treasurer	\$112.66

List of Abatements 1928 Tax List

Mrs. James L. Armsrong, over 70	\$2.00
Lizzie Blodgett, unable to pay	12.80
Kate Carpenter, over 70	2.00
Doris A. Clark under 21	2.00
Angeline A. Carnes, over 70	2.00
Walter Colburn, paid in Sutton	2.00
Roena Colburn, paid in Sutton	2.00
James Dowlin, left town	2.00
Clarence Davis, soldier	2.00
Viola Davison, not in town	2.00
Neil Dow, in New York	2.00
Dorothy Gordon, under 21	2.00
Charles Grandy, unable to pay	2.00
Minnie Grandy, unable to pay	2.00
Lester Hutchinson, soldier	2.00
Lizzie Livingstone, over 70	2.00
Fred O. Lavine, paid in Massachusetts	2.00

Viola E. Lavine, paid in Massachusetts	2.00
Roy Lyford, paid in Maine	2.00
Susie Lyford, paid in Maine	2.00
Charles Mathews, over 70	2.00
Nettie McLeod, unable to pay	2.00
John Norton, soldier	2.00
Albert E. Vitty, unable to pay	6.40

Total \$63.20

Respectfully submitted,
WILLIAM C. GOSS,
Tax Collector.

JANITOR'S REPORT ON TOWN HALL

Received by Leonard W. Whitney	\$405.25
Paid—	
Leonard W. Whitney, janitor service	\$116.00
New Hampshire Power Co., for lights	38.83
Charles Parmenter, wood	17.00
Frank Hooper, sawing wood	2.66
Goodnow & Derby, supplies	3.42
F. L. Chase, supplies	5.21
H. W. Balch, supplies	1.70
Lyle D. Whitney, supplies .....	.67
Leonard W. Whitney, labor	4.00
J. E. Marshall, supplies	2.75
W. L. Childs, cash to balance	213.01

Total \$405.25

Respectfully submitted,
LEONARD W. WHITNEY,
Janitor.

MEMORIAL DAY APPROPRIATION ACCOUNT

Cash on hand, 1927	\$9.84
Received from town treasurer	100.00

\$109.84

Paid—

Leon C. Stewartson, music	\$60.00
Harrie W. Balch, supplies	29.40

Edward Connelly, supplies	6.13	
W. F. Holmes, transportation ...	3.00	
F. L. Chase, supplies	1.19	
Wreath	3.00	
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		\$102.72
Balance on hand		\$7.12
Respectfully submitted,		
WILLIAM F. NORTON,		
Commander.		

STAGE SCENERY FOR TOWN HALL

Your committee working under article 20 of the warrant of last town meeting respectfully submit the following report:

The overhang piece to front curtain has been repainted eight (8) wings built and painted, and one back drop curtain.

GEORGE L. ALLEN,
D. A. MAXWELL,
EDWARD CONNELLY,
FORREST W. DOWLIN,
WALTER C. PATENAUDE,
Committee.

Color and express	\$4.24
Howard Carnes, lumber	2.90
Walter C. Patenaude, lumber	1.20
Curtain roll and express	12.97
W. H. Haskell, labor	4.00
G. L. Allen, labor and material	158.92
F. L. Chase, material	15.78
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Total	\$200.01

REPORT OF BOARD OF FIRE ENGINEERS

During the past year, the town has been particularly fortunate in not having any serious fires. However, chimney fires have been numerous and in every case caused by carelessness on the part of the householder. The principal causes being, not properly cleaned, too many stoves connected to a small flue, burning rubbish without proper draft

and allowing creosote to form from improper regulation of dampers. In a few cases, badly constructed, winding or bent flues in chimneys have caused fires.

The question of transportation is still serious and your department has to depend on outside sources to get its men and apparatus to fires. Other surrounding towns are far ahead of Henniker in the matter of equipping its fire departments with modern machinery and unless this is remedied, in the near future, it will be reflected by a substantial rise in insurance rates.

We would again ask the consideration of the voters, in the matter of an increased appropriation for the purchase of necessary apparatus to enable it to more thoroughly protect your property.

JOHN E. MARSHALL,
WILLIAM L. CHILDS,
W. J. PARMENTER,
Board of Fire Engineers.

REPORT OF HEALTH OFFICER

I herewith submit my report for the year ending January 31, 1929:

From September 18, 1928, two samples of Henniker Spring water and one sample from a well were sent to the State Laboratory of Hygiene, and all were reported good.

No contagious diseases have been reported.

Examined one place for sanitary condition, and one place used as a nursery.

Two vaccinations were reported.

FRANCIS H. CLEVELAND,
Health Officer.

January 31, 1929.

PUBLIC HEALTH ASSOCIATION

Report of H. B. Preston, Treasurer

For the Year Ending October 1, 1928

Receipts—

Balance from last year as per report	\$.48
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Received from—

Town Treasurer, appropriation	500.00
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School Treasurer	250.00
Public drive, summer of 1928	147.90
Proceeds entertainment, Nov. 1927	100.50
Local Red Cross, R. E. Miller, treas.	90.00
Nurse's fees for year	289.65
Sale books and supplies	20.00
Total	<hr/> \$1,398.53
Paid—	
Nurse's salary, Miss Tucker	\$1,300.00
Supplies	49.10
Nurse's expenses	49.33
Cash on hand, October 1, 1928 .....	.10
Total	<hr/> \$1,398.53

We hereby certify that we have examined the foregoing account of H. B. Preston, treasurer, and find the same correctly cast and properly vouched.

WALTER A. CONNOR,

Auditor.

Henniker, N. H., October 27, 1928.

REPORT OF TOWN TRUST FUNDS

Edward Connelly, Treasurer

Geo. W. Tucker Memorial Fund

GEORGE W. TUCKER, *Donor*

Receipts—

Cash on hand January 31, 1928	\$287.84
New Hampshire Mutual Liability Co.	90.00
New England Power Association	12.00
Dallas Gas and Electric Co.	120.00
Interest on fourth liberty bonds $4\frac{1}{4}\%$	127.50
Interest on treasurer's bonds, $4\frac{1}{4}\%$	212.50
Public Service Co. of New Hampshire bonds...	200.00
Interest on B. & M. prior preferred stock	21.00
Interest on B. & M. first preferred stock	189.00
Conn. River Power Co., bonds	100.00
Tampa Northern Railroad Co., bonds	150.00
Atlantic Birmingham Railroad Co., div.	30.00

\$1,539.84

Payments—

H. B. Preston, treas., for Tucker Free Library...	\$1,400.00
Cash on hand to balance	139.84

\$1,539.84

D. Warren and Eliza L. Cogswell Memorial Fund

LEANDER A. COGSWELL, *Donor*

Receipts—

Interest on third liberty loan bonds	\$425.00
Interest on fourth liberty loan bonds	850.00
\$10,000 third liberty bonds redeemed Sept. 15..	10,000.00
Brown Company	275.00
Public Service Co. of New Hampshire	300.00
New Hampshire Savings bank, book No. 88585	157.50
Merrimack County Sav. bank, book No. 31893	157.50
Merrimack County Sav. bank, book No. 25391	13.05
Loan and Trust Savings bank, book No. 39666	111.01
Cogswell Spring Water works interest on note	225.00

\$12,514.06

Payments—	
H. B. Preston, treas., 70 per cent for schools . . .	\$1,759.83
H. B. Preston, treas., 10 per cent for cemetery..	251.41
H. B. Preston, treas., 10 per cent for library . . .	251.41
Edward Connelly, treas., 10 per cent for parks . .	251.41
Deposited in the following Savings Banks:	
Franklin Savings bank	4,000.00
Loan and Trust Savings bank	2,000.00
New Hampshire Savings bank	2,000.00
Merrimack County Savings bank	2,000.00
	<hr/> \$12,514.06

James and Hannah F. Straw Memorial Funds

JAMES F. STRAW, *Donor*

Receipts—	
Interest on \$20,000 fourth liberty bonds	\$850.00
Payments—	
H. B. Preston, treas., for Henniker Cemetery Association	\$850.00

Cemetery Trust Funds

Receipts—	
Cash on hand January 31, 1928	\$224.92
Due from Park account	218.76
Amie L. Bacon, care of lots	200.00
Charles E. Favor, care of lot	100.00
Charles E. Favor, care of Andrew Favor lot . . .	50.00
Walter H. Manchester, care of Patten Bean lot	100.00
Interest on treasurer's notes, 4¼ per cent bond	38.24
Interest on third liberty 4¼ per cent bonds	4.25
Interest on first liberty 4¼ per cent bonds	221.00
Interest on coupon bond 4¼ per cent	23.39
Merrimack County Sav. bank, book No. 14382	51.87
\$100. third liberty bond redeemed	100.00
	<hr/> \$1,332.43
Payments—	
Henniker Cemetery Association, care of lots..	\$272.69
Charles H. Carter, care of lots	28.00
Deposited—	
Mechanics Savings Bank, book No. 14382...	550.00
Amount transferred to Park account in 1927	218.76
Cash on hand	262.98
	<hr/> \$1,332.43

George H. Dodge Memorial Fund

Receipts—	
Interest on \$500, 4¼ per cent treasurer's bond	\$21.25
Payments—	
H. B. Preston, treasurer, for schools	\$21.25

Cogswell Park Fund

Receipts—	
Cash Jan. 31, 1928 as per book No. 8088	\$12.52
Trustees of town trust funds, 10 per cent Cogswell fund	251.41
Hillsboro Guaranty Savings Bank April 1, div.	7.15
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	\$271.08

Payments—	
Harry Lyford, labor	\$75.95
Chester Parmenter, labor	16.00
John E. Marshall, lamps and labor	16.09
Charles W. Martin, labor	3.60
J. F. Garland,, and men	26.04
Cash on hand	120.88
Bank book No. 8088 balance	12.52
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	\$271.08

Edna Dean Proctor Memorial Fund

Receipts—	
New Hampshire Savings Bank	\$750.00
Loan and Trust Savings Bank	600.00
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	\$1,350.00

Payments—	
R. C. Blockson, memorial fountain	\$1,350.00
Respectfully submitted, EDWARD CONNELLY, <i>Treasurer.</i>	

REPORT OF H. B. PRESTON**TREASURER, HENNIKER CEMETERY ASSOCIATION ON ACCOUNT STRAW FUND**

February 1, 1928 cash on hand	\$3.94
Received from E. Connelly treasurer, income for the year	850.00
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	\$853.94

Paid on order of directors of Cemetery association, as follows:

Paid—

Am. R. R. express, express charges	\$19.96	
E. M. Gammell, labor	2.50	
Little Tree Farms, nursery stock ...	132.75	
J. Fred Garland, labor	42.23	
E. M. Gammell, labor	3.25	
A. H. Stone, labor	20.32	
W. F. Holmes, trucking	1.00	
H. D. Patterson, labor	61.84	
H. A. Skillins, labor	73.35	
Cogswell Spring Water Co., water rent	13.00	
L. D. Cox, landscape architect	93.66	
J. F. Garland, labor	229.97	
A. H. Stone, labor	78.25	
H. A. Skillen, labor	74.00	
January 31, cash on hand	7.86	
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		\$853.94

Summary of orders paid—

For labor	\$585.71	
Nursery stock	132.75	
Water rent	13.00	
Architect's fee and expense	93.66	
Trucking and transportation	20.96	
Cash on hand, January 31	7.86	
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		\$853.94

Having examined the foregoing account, find same to be correct, and properly vouched.

R. T. MORRISON,
F. A. PEASLEE,

Auditors.

Henniker Cemetery Association.

Henniker, February 7, 1929.

Report of H. B. Preston, Clerk

For the Year Ending January 31, 1929

JAMES AND HANNAH F. STRAW FUND

(James R. Straw. Donor. Fund Created June 10, 1922)

Invested as follows:

	<i>Principal</i>	<i>Income</i>
1 bond, fourth liberty loan number 30512	\$10,000.00	\$425.00
1 bond, fourth liberty loan number 30513	10,000.00	425.00
Total	\$20,000.00	\$850.00

Income of fund paid annually to Henniker Cemetery Association to be expended on north side, New Cemetery.

GEORGE H. DODGE FUND

(Ada M. Dodge, Donor. Fund Created May 1, 1923)

Invested as follows:

	<i>Principal</i>	<i>Income</i>
1 U. S. Treasury bond, number C00006303	\$500.00	\$21.25

Income of fund paid annually to Treasurer, Henniker School District, for prizes for attendance.

CEMETERY TRUST FUNDS

(Various Donors. For Care of Lots in Local Cemeteries)

	<i>Principal</i>	<i>Income</i>
Invested as follows:		
5 M. 1st liberty loan, No. 48282, 3, 4, 5, 6, $4\frac{1}{4}$ per cent	\$5,000.00	\$212.50
2 C. 1st liberty loan, No. 164588, 9, $4\frac{1}{4}$ per cent	200.00	8.50
1st liberty loan coupon No. B00515357, $4\frac{1}{4}$ per cent	50.00	2.13
7 C. 4th liberty loan, No. 472493, 744402, 1573030, 15800100, H01350108, F00641656, F0135- 4556, G01354557, $4\frac{1}{4}$ per cent..	700.00	29.75
1 C 3rd liberty loan, No. 1286877, $4\frac{1}{4}$ per cent (called Sept. 15, 1928)		4.25
7 C U. S. Treasury Bonds, No. E00005955, E00008975, C0006- 3023, $4\frac{1}{4}$ per cent	700.00	29.75
Mechanicks Savings bank, book No. 14382, $4\frac{1}{4}$ per cent	1,650.00	51.87
Total	\$8,300.00	\$338.75
Paid for care of lots 1928, \$300.69		

Cemetery Trust Funds, Expended as follows:

Name of Fund	Amount of Fund	Balance Jan. 31, 1928	Paid out during 1928	Annual Income	Balance Jan. 31, 1929	How Invested	Location of Lot
Albert C. Clark	\$100 00	\$1 50	\$1 50	\$1 25	\$1 25	Gv. Bd.	New
Nathan Carter	100 00	4 66	4 00	4 25	4 91	" "	"
Mark Dustin	100 00	6 16	4 00	4 25	6 41	" "	"
Addie F. Cogswell	50 00	2 13	2 13	2 13	2 13	" "	"
Sarah P. Richardson	250 00	15 55	10 00	10 63	16 18	" "	"
Jennie F. Nutter	75 00	3 19	3 00	3 19	3 38	" "	"
Nahum Newton	50 00	2 13	2 13	2 13	2 13	" "	"
Fannie M. Whitcomb	100 00	5 30	5 30	4 25	4 25	" "	"
Fidelia H. Carter	100 00	6 18	4 00	4 25	6 43	" "	"
Edwin B. Howe	100 00	4 65	4 00	4 25	4 90	" "	"
Wm. D. Hardwood	100 00	5 25	4 00	4 25	5 50	" "	"
Georgianna Patterson	200 00	12 95	10 00	8 50	11 45	" "	"
Sarah W. Pillsbury	150 00	7 88	6 00	6 38	8 26	" "	"
Levi S. Connor	100 00	5 58	5 58	4 25	4 25	" "	"
Warren Sanborn	70 00	3 46	3 46	2 98	2 98	" "	"
Seth W. Straw	100 00	5 02	5 02	4 25	4 25	" "	"
Mercie B. Bacon	50 00	2 13	2 13	2 13	2 13	" "	"
Almeda L. Felch	100 00	4 85	4 00	4 25	5 10	" "	"
R. M. Dowlin	100 00	5 50	4 50	4 25	5 25	" "	"
Levi C. Newton	100 00	5 25	4 00	4 25	5 50	" "	"
Josephine S. Colby	100 00	7 25	4 00	4 25	7 50	" "	"
Franklin Goss	100 00	15 07	15 07	4 25	4 25	" "	"
George A. Eastman	200 00	14 80	6 00	8 50	17 30	" "	"
Jennette C. Allison	100 00	7 50	4 00	4 25	7 75	" "	"
Fannie M. Whitcomb	100 00	5 97	5 97	4 25	4 25	" "	"
John H. Savage	50 00	2 13	2 13	2 13	2 13	" "	"
Zadiah Dustin	100 00	6 68	4 00	4 25	6 93	" "	"
Frank A. Connor	100 00	5 20	5 00	4 25	4 45	" "	"
Edgar M. Clough	100 00	5 55	4 00	4 25	5 80	" "	"
Henry E. Merrick	50 00	2 13	2 13	2 13	2 13	" "	"
Betsy J. Colby	100 00	13 38	5 00	4 25	12 63	" "	"
Charles L. Matthews	100 00	7 25	5 00	4 50	6 75	Sav. Bk.	"
Alma Poor Shephard	100 00	4 50	4 50	4 25	4 25	Gv. Bd.	"
George R. McAllister	100 00	6 75	4 00	4 25	7 00	" "	"
Allian C. Wheeler	100 00	6 00	4 00	4 50	6 50	Sav. Bk.	"
William F. Raymond	100 00	5 50	4 00	4 25	5 75	Gv. Bd.	"
Joseph H. Wescomb	150 00	11 02	6 00	6 38	11 40	" "	"
Ada C. Dodge	100 00	5 25	4 00	4 50	5 75	Sav. Bk.	"
J. Madison Colby	100 00	5 09	4 00	4 25	5 25	Gv. Bd.	"
Albert C. Chase	100 00	5 50	3 50	4 25	6 25	" "	"
James B. Phillips	100 00	4 50	4 00	4 25	4 75	" "	"
Lizzie H. Andrews	100 00	4 50	4 00	4 25	4 75	" "	"
Hattie M. Chase	100 00	4 25	4 00	4 50	4 75	Sav. Bk.	"
Hattie M. Chase	100 00	4 25	3 50	4 50	5 25	" "	"
(Follansbee)	100 00	4 25	3 50	4 50	5 25	" "	"
Sam. K. Page	100 00	3 00	3 00	4 50	4 50	" "	"
Eva M. Barnes	50 00			1 68	1 68	" "	"
William F. Flanders	50 00			1 68	1 68	" "	"
Ellen R. Bacon	100 00			2 25	2 25	" "	"
Amie L. Bacon	100 00			2 25	2 25	" "	"
(Grinnell Lot)	100 00			1 50	1 50	" "	"
Charles E. Favor	100 00			1 50	1 50	" "	"
Ell: P. Manchester	100 00			1 12	1 12	" "	"
(Patten-Barnes lot)	100 00			1 12	1 12	" "	"
Andrew D. Favor	50 00			56	56	" "	"
Edna Dean Proctor	200 00	9 10	8 00	8 50	9 60	Gv. Bd.	Old
Almira Cook	50 00	2 13	2 13	2 13	2 13	" "	"
Sarah M. Morse	100 00	5 90	4 00	4 25	6 15	" "	"
Mary C. Wadsworth	50 00	2 13	2 13	2 13	2 13	" "	"
Rufus T. Howe	200 00	16 00	6 00	8 50	18 50	" "	"
Geo. W. Tucker	100 00	7 10	4 00	4 25	7 35	" "	"
Mary S. Cogswell	100 00	7 10	4 00	4 25	7 35	" "	"
Chas. Bowman	50 00	2 13	2 13	2 13	2 13	" "	"
Levi S. Connor	100 00	6 10	4 00	4 25	6 35	" "	"
Georgianna Patterson	200 00	14 60	8 00	8 50	15 10	" "	"
Elizabeth P. Gove	200 00	40 58	3 00	8 50	46 08	" "	"

Cemetery Trust Funds, Expended as follows:
(Continued)

Name of Fund	Amount of Fund	Balance Jan. 31, 1928	Paid out during 1928	Annual Income	Balance Jan. 31 1929	How Invested	Location of Lot
Margaret Douglass.....	100 00	10 00	4 00	4 25	10 25	Gv. Bd.	Old
Mary Marsh.....	100 00	5 00	4 00	4 25	5 25	" "	"
E. C. & L. Black.....	100 00	75	75	3 75	3 75	Sav. Bk.	"
C. & J. H. George.....	100 00	75	75	3 75	3 75	" "	"
E. & E. Hemphill.....	100 00	75	75	3 75	3 75	" "	"
William H. Gilmore.....	50 00			1 69	1 69	" "	"
Lucy S. Connor.....	200 00	8 50	8 50	8 50	8 50	Gv. Bd.	Goss
Geo. W. Plummer.....	200 00	8 80	8 50	8 50	8 80	" "	Plum.
Cowdry Fund.....	50 00	2 76	2 00	2 13	2 89	" "	"
Ira Plummer.....	50 00	2 70	2 00	2 13	2 83	" "	"
Parker P. Patch.....	80 26	4 77	3 25	3 41	4 93	" "	"
Betsy Flanders.....	100 00	4 47	4 25	4 25	4 47	" "	"
Almus W. Morse.....	200 00	46 17	3 00	8 50	51 67	" "	"
Addie I. Stevens.....	50 00	2 57	2 00	2 13	2 70	" "	"
Geo. H. Dodge.....	75 00	3 91	3 00	3 18	4 09	" "	"
James H. Flanders.....	50 00			1 69	1 69	" "	"
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	\$8,150.26	\$190.02	\$300.69	\$333.25	\$522.58		

Summarized as follows:

Total fund drawing interest	\$8,300.00
Total fund upon which interest is paid for perpetual care of ceme- tery lots	\$8,150.26
Gain on purchase of liberty bonds ..	149.74
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Unexpended balance, January 31, 1928	\$490.02
Annual income, 1928	333.35
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	\$823.27
Paid out for care, 1928	\$300.69
Balance to expend, 1929	522.58
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	\$823.27
Summary of payments, 1928	
A. G. Preston, new cemetery	\$206.55
A. G. Preston, Old Yard, and Goss..	66.14
C. H. Carter, Plummer	28.00
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	\$300.69

D. WARREN AND ELIZA L. COGSWELL FUND

(Leander A. Cogswell, Donor. Fund Created March
10, 1920)

	<i>Principal</i>	<i>Interest</i>
Invested as follows:		
Town of Henniker, Note 1, 4¼ per cent	\$5,000.00	\$225.00
10 M. U. S. liberty 3rd, (called Sept. 15, 1928)		425.00
20 M. U. S. liberties 4th, '38 Nos. 231278 to 97, 4¼ per cent	20,000.00	850.00
Public Service Corp. of N. H. '56, No. 3566, 7, 8, 9, 3149, 50, 5 per cent	6,000.00	300.00
Brown Co., 1st mort., '46, No. 8334, 8342, 8348, 9984, 9985, 5½ per cent	5,000.00	275.00
In Savings Banks:		
New Hampshire Book 88585, 4½ per cent	5,000.00	157.50
Loan and Trust, book 39666, 4½ per cent	4,467.50	111.01
Merrimack Co., Book 25391, 4½ per cent	290.67	13.05
Merrimack Co., Book 31893, 4½ per cent	5,000.00	157.50
Franklin, 4½ per cent	4,000.00	
Total	\$54,758.17	\$2,514.06
Income for 1928 distributed as follows:		
Henniker High School, 70 per cent	\$1,759.83	
Tucker Free Library, 10 per cent ..	251.41	
Henniker Ceme. Ass'n, 10 per cent	251.41	
Trustees Town funds (Park fund) 10 per cent	251.41	
		\$2,514.06

George W. Tucker Library Fund.
Fund Created March 10, 1903)
(George W. Tucker, Donor.

SECURITIES HOW INVESTED

BONDS

3 Tampa & Northern R. R., '36, No. A768, A268, M1085	
2 Dallas Gas Co., No. M268, 9, '41,	
2 Conn. River Power Co., '37, No. 579, 580	
5M U. S. Treasury, '44-'52, No. K00001860	
3M U. S. Liberty 4th, '33-'38, No. 77358, 59, 60	
4 Public Service of N. H., '56, No. M1167, 8, 9, 70	

STOCKS

27 B. & M. R. R., class C, No. T2168	
3 B. & M. R. R., prior pfd., No. T02694	
16 Suncook Valley R. R., No. 1060	
10 Nashua St. Ry., No. 906	
15 N. H. Mutual Liability, pfd., No. A35	
2 N. E. Power Ass'n., No. P01197	
6 Atlanta, Birmingham & Coast R. R., No. P01042	

SAVINGS BANKS

Manchester, Book No. 119716	
Merrimack River, Book No. 32656	
Loan & Trust, Book No. 21585	
Amoskeag, Book No. 137478	
New Hampshire, Book No. 50336	
Merrimack Co., Book No. 26777	
Union Trust Co., Book No. 9746	

Paid to Treasurer of Library	\$1,400.00
In hand of Trustees	139.84
Income of Savings Banks added to principal in 1928	521.48

	Par Value	Rate	1928 Income	Book Value
	\$3,000.00	5	\$150.00	\$3,000.00
	2,000.00	6	120.00	2,000.00
	2,000.00	5	100.00	2,000.00
	5,000.00	4 1/4	212.50	5,000.00
	3,000.00	4 1/4	127.50	3,000.00
	4,000.00	5	200.00	4,000.00
	2,700.00	7	189.00	2,700.00
	300.00	7	21.00	300.00
	1,600.00	..	.....	1.00
	1,000.00	..	.....	500.00
	1,500.00	6	90.00	1,500.00
	200.00	6	12.00	200.00
	600.00	5	30.00	600.00
	\$26,900		\$1,252.00	\$24,801.00
	\$1,461.14	4 1/2	\$62.91	\$1,461.14
	1,524.28	4 1/2	65.61	1,524.28
	2,562.10	4 1/2	110.29	2,562.10
	1,429.20	4 1/2	61.51	1,429.20
	2,208.03	4 1/2	95.04	2,208.03
	1,154.85	4 1/2	49.72	1,154.85
	1,987.04	4	76.40	1,987.04
	\$39,226.64		\$1,773.48	\$37,127.64

JOHN PROCTOR AND PROCTOR FAMILY

MEMORIAL FUND

(Edna Dean Proctor, Donor. Fund Created Feb. 2, 1925)

	<i>Principal</i>	<i>Interest</i>
Invested as follows:		
Manchester Savings Bank, Book No. 140072	\$5,000.00	\$812.71
Amoskeag Savings Bank, Book No. 159535	5,000.00	812.71
New Hampshire Savings Bank, Book No. 84189	5,000.00	941.13
Loan and Trust Savings Bank, Book No. 37391	5,000.00	812.71
Total	\$20,000.00	\$3,379.26
From the income the sum of \$1,350 was expended by the Proctor Memorial committee for fountain during the year, leaving accumulated interest of \$2,029.26.		

SUMMARY BOOK VALUE OF TRUST FUNDS

January 31, 1929

Straw Fund	\$20,000.00
Dodge Fund	500.00
Proctor Fund	22,029.26
Cogswell Fund	54,758.17
Cemetery Fund	8,300.00
Tucker Library Fund	37,127.64
Total	\$142,715.07

H. B. PRESTON,
Clerk of Trustees.

ANNUAL REPORT OF TUCKER FREE LIBRARY

HENNIKER, N. H.

The following report is respectfully submitted:	
Number of volumes on the shelves Feb. 1, 1928	8115
Number of volumes added by gift for this year	106
Number of volumes added from funds from Library	117
Total	8338
Lost and discarded	9
Total number on shelves Jan. 31, 1929 ...	8329
Circulation as follows:	
Juvenile	3219
Fiction	11268
Non-fiction	794
Magazines	3112
Total	18393
<i>Fines</i>	
Cash on hand	\$1.40
Collected for the year	33.77
Total	\$35.17
Used for supplies and new books	30.48
Balance on hand Jan. 31, 1929	\$4.69

List of Magazines for Circulation and Reading Room

American Boy	Open Road
American Girl	Pictorial Review
American Magazine	Popular Mechanics
American Rifleman (gift)	Popular Science
Atlantic Monthly	Radio News
Boy's Life	Saturday Evening Post
Collier's Weekly	Scribner's
Christian Endeavor World (gift)	World's Work
Daughters of Am. Rev. (gift)	Woman's Home Companion
Good Housekeeping	Mentor
Harper's	Outlook (gift)
House Beautiful	Cosmopolitan (gift)
Junior Home Mag.	Better Homes and Gardens (gift)
	Henniker Weekly Courier

Ladies Home Journal
Literary Digest
Nature Mag.
National Geographic

Needlecraft (gift)
Pathfinder
Granite Monthly

Gifts for the Year

Presented by Mrs. E. R. Bacon, hand written arithmetic. Dated, 1806.

Presented by Mr. Gilbert Andrews, another Hand-written Arithmetic. No date.

Presented by Mrs. Gerald Beane, two books of fiction.

Presented by Mrs. Grover Peaslee, five books of fiction.

Presented by Mr. Charles E. Favor, a friend of Mr. W.

A. Connor: A Cane made of Whale-bone, by a sailor and

A Stage-Driver's Whip Stock Made from a Whale's Tooth.

Presented by Miss Helen F. Sawyer, two books written by her sister, Miss Edith Sawyer.

Presented by Miss Sawyer, six magazines on birds and nature with fifty colored plates. Fifty illustrated children's books for the children's room.

Presented by Miss Sawyer the "Antiquarian" for a year. Also four copies of "Antique."

Miss Sawyer also presented us with a fund of \$20.00 to maintain a children's story hour each Saturday afternoon.

Presented by Mrs. Grace Pugsley a collection of books, non-fiction.

Presented by Mrs. Nellie Preston, Daguerreotype of a Civil War soldier, Mr. Charles Seymour.

Presented by Professor F. L. Childs and mother and sister, sixteen Stoddard's Portfolios of Photographs of the World's Fair, and several books, sixteen Portfolios of Famous Pictures and Paintings.

Presented by Mr. H. B. Preston, in memory of his father Mr. George C. Preston, who was a member of the building committee of the Library and served as trustee from its dedication until his death, four volumes of the "Outline" of Science by Thomson.

Presented by Professor F. L. Childs, A German Cigaret Lighter.

Presented by W. G. Buxton a copy of his latest book, "Four Constitutional Conventions."

Miss Claire Felch presented an eagle captured in Henniker many years ago and mounted by Mr. J. A. Felch.

Presented by Mrs. George Powers, two magazines, Cosmopolitan and Better Homes and Gardens.

Presented by Mrs. Mae Gibson of Bradford, N. H., the "Needlecraft."

Presented by Mrs. Atwood, "The Outlook."

Presented by Mrs. Alice V. Colby, "Pathfinder" and D. A. R. Magazines.

Presented by Mrs. A. G. Sargent, two books of fiction.

Presented by Mrs. Grace Kreister, book, "The Art of Dressmaking."

Mr. David Proctor, a relative of the late Edna Dean Proctor, presented the library with a beautiful portrait of Miss Edna Dean Proctor when she was between the age of twenty-five and thirty: this picture has a fine setting and is placed in the Rotunda of Tucker Free Library.

Presented by Mr. John Clark, Beverly, Mass., "History of Pythian Knighthood," and also a Dictionary of American Indian names and places.

This year we have to report the loss of two trustees and the caretaker. Mr. W. Henry Bean, who passed away very suddenly in May, was for twelve years a faithful caretaker and host, earnest in his efforts to make the Library attractive and inviting to the public.

Later in the same month Mr. E. N. Cogswell passed away. His mother was the first librarian and he was a trustee for twelve years and a very loyal one, who had the good of the library ever in mind.

Mr. George C. Preston passed away in August of this year. He was a member of the building committee when the library was built and served on the board of trustees for twenty-five years. He was a very earnest worker as long as his health permitted. We feel keenly the loss of these men and their portraits have been placed on the walls of the reading room as a constant reminder of their loyalty and helpfulness.

We feel especially grateful to Miss Helen F. Sawyer who has taken such an interest in the library especially in regard to the young people.

For one week she displayed her fine collection of books in the reading room, the proceeds being turned over to purchase books for the children. She also placed in the children's room over fifty books, many beautifully illustrated for their use, and provided means whereby a story hour could be maintained every Saturday afternoon.

We take this opportunity to extend our thanks to her and to all who in any way helped us to make the library of use to the public and all are welcome, if we have been neglectful in acknowledging such favors we trust you will pardon us, it is unintentional, for we do appreciate your interest.

Every one enjoyed the beautiful colored lights which adorned the trees on the library grounds the week before Christmas. These lights were installed by Mr. J. E. Marshall who very kindly gave his services.

FANNIE W. BENNETT,
Librarian.

FINANCCIAL REPORT

Financial Report of E. N. Cogswell, Treasurer of the Tucker Free Library for the Period from February 1, 1928 to May 1, 1928

Receipts—	
February 1, 1928, cash on hand	\$517.77
Paid—	
W. W. Wilson, reader's guide	\$7.00
Fannie W. Bennett, librarian, services	87.50
W. P. Goodman, books	41.22
Burton Pub. Co., books	3.88
Union Library Ass'n., books	9.16
Arthur W. Womrath, books	8.65
Messenger Pub. Co., newspaper	2.00
W. H. Bean, janitor, services	50.00
N. H. Power Co., lights	16.20
N. H. Power Co., lights	9.75
Total	\$235.36
Cash on hand May 1	282.41
	<hr/> \$517.77

We hereby certify that we have examined the foregoing account of E. N. Cogswell, Treasurer of Tucker Free Library, and find the same correctly cast and properly vouched.

WALTER A. CONNOR,
ARTHUR C. GRAVES,
Auditors.

Henniker, N. H., June 12, 1928.

Financial Report of the Tucker Free Library
For the Period June 12, 1928 to January 31, 1929

H. B. Preston, Treasurer

Receipts—	
June 12, cash on hand	282.41
From Edward Connelly, Tucker Fund	400.00
From Edward Connelly, Tucker Fund	200.00
From Edward Connelly, Tucker Fund	300.00
From Edward Connelly, Tucker Fund	500.00
From Edward Connelly, Cogswell Fund	251.41
Total	\$1,933.82
Paid—	
H. W. Balch, fuel	\$237.93
Dodd, Mead Co., books	6.10
W. P. Goodman, books	26.98
Edward Connelly, minor repairs ...	4.20
N. H. Power Co., lights	18.18
Fannie W. Bennett, librarian	87.50
Mary D. Bean, janitor's salary, W. H. Bean	50.00
W. A. Connor, salary and cash adv.	28.60
W. P. Goodman, books	5.40
Contocook Valley Tel. Co., tel....	2.10
H. L. Holmes, water rent	12.00
H. B. Preston, stamps and supplies	1.00
Granite Monthly Co., subscription..	2.00
Fannie W. Bennett, expenses	13.00
Library Book House, books	84.24
N. H. Power Co., lights	5.80
C. H. & G. B. Rollins, repairs to slate roof	17.45
Library Book House, books	4.80
Contocook Valley Tel. Co., tel	2.10
George I. Allen, picture frames	2.28
N. H. Power Co., lights	6.04
Contocook Valley Tel. Co., tel.	2.10
H. B. Preston, subscription, Courier	2.00
Fannie W. Bennett, librarian	87.50
N. H. Power Co., lights	8.52
Contocook Valley Tel. Co., tel.	2.75
W. F. Holmes, express and trucking	1.45
W. P. Goodman, books	14.18
W. A. Connor, salary and cash ad- vanced	51.34

L. A. Wells, rebinding	37.19	
H. W. Wilson Co., magazine sub- scription	7.00	
N. H. Power Co., lights	7.64	
W. P. Goodman, books	5.85	
A. N. Marquis Co., book	7.65	
Contoocook Tel. Co., tel.	2.75	
Herman Goldburger Agency, maga- zines for 1929	39.65	
N. H. Power Co., lights	7.32	
W. P. Goodman, books	16.80	
Holmes & Choate, wood	50.00	
W. P. Goodman, books	3.45	
Contoocook Valley Tel. Co., tel.	2.75	
J. E. Marshall, lighting fixtures for trees	11.00	
Fannie W. Bennett, librarian	87.50	
W. A. Connor, salary and cash ad- vanced	50.18	
N. H. Power Co., lights	1.80	
W. P. Goodman, books	8.10	
Gaylord Bros., supplies	6.40	
H. L. Holmes, water rent	12.00	
Contoocook Valley Tel. Co., tel.	2.75	
The H. W. Wilson Co.	5.00	
Cash on hand January 31, 1929	772.90	
Total		\$1,933.82

Summary of Payments for the Year

Newspapers and magazines	\$52.65
Electric lights	92.87
Librarian, services and expenses	363.00
Janitor, services and expenses	230.12
Fuel	287.93
Water rent	24.00
New books	258.46
Repairs to building	21.65
Rebinding	37.19
Telephone service	17.30
Miscellaneous	11.11
Total	\$1,396.28

H. B. PRESTON,
Treasurer

We hereby certify that we have examined the foregoing account of H. B. Preston, Treasurer, Tucker Free Library, and find the same correctly cast and properly vouched.

WALTER A. CONNOR,
ARTHUR C. GRAVES,
DUNCAN P. NOYES,

Auditors.

Henniker, February 8, 1929.

COGSWELL SPRING WATER WORKS

The Board of Water Commissioners herewith submit their fifteenth annual report.

All income was from one source, namely, water service rents.

Pumping Station

From January 1, 1928 to January 1, 1929, 8,019,251 gallons of water were pumped into the reservoir. This represents a decrease from 1928 of 1,046,683 gallons.

Pumping Station record on separate page of this report.

Material on Hand

2 10-inch sleeves	at 140 lbs. each	280 lbs.
2 8-inch sleeves	at 100 lbs. each	200 lbs.

Total weight	480 lbs
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At \$60.00 per ton	\$14.40
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Cast iron pipe on hand:

1 length 8-inch	480 lbs.
2 lengths 6-inch	748 lbs.
11 lengths 4-inch	2,640 lbs.

Total weight	3,868 lbs.
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At \$30.00 per ton	\$58.02
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1 6-inch gate valve	23.10
Electric thawing machine	300.00

Total	\$395.52
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Fittings on Hand

2 1-inch Goosenecks	\$14.54
7 ¾-inch Goosenecks	31.57
1 1-inch Corp Cock	1.00
8 ¾-inch Corp Cocks	6.00
1 1-inch Curb Cock	1.00
2 ¾-inch Curb Cocks	1.50
3 ¾-inch Curb Box Caps	1.60
Miscellaneous new fittings	7.06
Miscellaneous second hand fittings	5.42
8 Reconditioned meters	80.00

Total	\$149.69
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FINANCIAL STATEMENT OF WATER COMMISSIONERS

We hereby submit statement showing receipts and expenditures of money received and paid out for the year ending January 31, 1929.

February 1, 1928, cash on hand	\$943.09
H. L. Holmes, water rents	922.43
H. L. Holmes, water rents	390.39
Water com., hydrant rental	1,087.00
H. L. Holmes, water rents	1,108.50
H. L. Holmes, water rents	370.67
H. L. Holmes, water rents	638.47
Total	\$5,460.55

Disbursements

Paid—

H. C. Falvey, station report	\$5.00
T. E. Denio, freight on fittings	2.70
New Hampshire Power Co., power and light ...	39.09
Ed. Caldwell, labor paper mill	22.75
C. H. White, labor, paper mill	10.68
H. R. McLean, labor	53.25
New Hampshire Power Co., power and light ..	37.60
Ed. Connelly, labor and supplies	131.51
Braman Dow Co., fittings	73.23
New Hampshire Power Co., power and light ..	37.90
Holmes & Choate, wood	8.00
Hillsboro Guar. Sav. Bank, interest on note ..	25.00
Hillsboro Guar. Sav. Bank, interest on note ..	17.50
New Hampshire Power Co., power and light ..	30.30
H. R. McLean, labor	37.00
C. J. Gilchrist, labor, F. leaf	6.50
Robert Smith, labor, F. Leaf	6.50
New Hampshire Power Co., power and light ...	22.50
New Hampshire Power Co., power and light ...	30.20
Harris Forbes Co., interest on bonds, 6 mo.	900.00
Ed. Connelly, labor and supplies	91.49
D. A. Maxwell, printing	4.35
New Hampshire Power Co., power and light ...	84.40
H. R. McLean, labor	47.00
Hillsboro Guar. Sav. Bank, interest on note ...	25.00
H. R. McLean, labor	35.75

Rumsey Pump Co., counter	14.01
Hillsboro Guar. Sav. Bank, interest on note	17.50
New Hampshire Power Co., power and light ...	84.16
E. E. Brill, labor	67.50
H. R. McLean, labor	46.50
Holmes & Choate, wood	10.00
New Hampshire Power Co., power and light ...	41.80
H. R. McLean, labor	45.25
E. E. Brill, labor	9.25
Kennedy Valve Mfg. Co., valve	23.10
Ed. Connelly, labor and supplies	144.60
Holmes & Choate, wood	13.33
Harris, Forbes & Co., interest on bonds, 6 mo. ..	900.00
Town of Henniker, interest on note 1 yr.	225.00
J. W. Doon, services and cash paid out	10.00
H. L. Holmes, services and cash paid out	57.25
New Hampshire Power Co., power and light ...	87.36
D. A. Maxwell, printing	1.75
Hillsboro Guar. Sav. Bank, note prin. and int...	707.77
H. C. Falvey, station report	2.50

Total	\$4,293.83
Cash on hand	1,166.72

Total	\$5,460.55
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Summarized as follows:

Interest on bonds and notes	\$2,117.77
Payment of note	700.00
Ed. Connelly, labor and supplies	367.60

Pumping Station:

Electric light and power	495.31
Labor	341.50
Fuel, fittings and supplies	71.14
Records	7.50

New Installations:

Fittings	73.23
Labor	46.43
Commissioners, services and supplies	67.25
Printing	6.10

\$4,293.83

Outstanding Water Bonds and Notes

\$5,000 Town of Henniker Note, 4½ per cent.
 \$10,000 Water Bonds, 4 per cent, mature Aug. 1, 1929.
 \$10,000 Water Bonds, 4 per cent, mature Aug. 1, 1934.
 \$10,000 Water Bonds, 4 per cent, mature Aug. 1, 1939.
 \$15,000 Water Bonds, 4 per cent, mature Aug. 1, 1944.
 \$1,000 Hillsboro Guaranty Savings Bank Note.

Respectfully submitted,

HARRY L. HOLMES,
 HAROLD R. McLEAN,
 JAMES W. DOON,

Water Commissioners.

PUMPING RECORD FOR TWELVE MONTHS**January 1, 1928 to January 1, 1929**

1928	Period of pumping hrs. min.	Attendance hrs. min.		Gals. of water pumped.
Jan.	45 40	63 30	\$31.75	659,651
Feb.	49	64	32.00	670,527
Mar.	50	59 30	29.75	652,388
Apr.	27	34	17.00	350,918
May	33 30	39 30	19.75	428,309
June	43	49	24.50	546,078
July	64	70	35.00	811,264
Aug.	66 30	73	36.50	842,954
Sept.	55 30	61 30	30.75	703,518
Oct.	59 30	65	32.50	769,001
Nov.	63 30	69 30	34.75	830,061
Dec.	53	63 30	31.75	754,582
	610,10	712	\$356.00	8,019,251

Actual running time of pump, 610 hrs. 10 min.

Pump used 115 times.

Number of gallons of water pumped, 8,019,251.

Cost of attendance, \$356.00.

Cost of power and oil, \$436.40.

Average cost of pumping 1,000.00 gallons, .0987.

Average cost of attendance for 1,000 gallons, .0443.

Average cost of power and oil for 1,000 gallons, .0544.

Average number of gallons per minute, 219.

COLLECTOR'S REPORT

Amount due for water rents, July 1, 1928	\$1,698.82
Collected and paid town treasurer ..	\$1,312.82
Uncollected	380.00
Abatements not used	6.00
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	\$1,698.82
Amount due for water rents Jan. 1, 1929	\$1,737.64
Uncollected July account	380.00
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Total to collect Jan. 1, 1929	\$2,117.64
Collected and paid town treasurer ..	\$2,117.64

HARRY L. HOLMES,

*Collector***TREASURER'S REPORT***Cogswell Spring Water Works*

Cash on hand February 1, 1928	\$943.09
Received from H. L. Holmes, water rents	3,430.46
Receiver from water com. hydrant rental	1,087.00
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Total receipts	\$5,460.55
Paid by orders of water commissioners	4,293.83
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Cash on hand February 1, 1929	\$1,166.72

Respectfully submitted,

W. L. CHILDS,

Treasurer.

AUDITORS' REPORT

We, the undersigned, Auditors of the Town of Henniker, hereby certify that we have examined the accounts of the Selectmen, Town Clerk, Town Treasurer, Collector of Taxes, Janitor of Town Hall, Agent of Memorial Day Appropriation, Agent of State Highway Maintenance, Agent Trunk Line Maintenance, Town Highway Agent, Statement of Treasurer of Tucker Free Library, Board of Trustees of Town Trust Funds, including securities as tabulated in the report and deposits in Savings and National Banks, Collector of Water Rents, and Clerk of Water Commissioners, and find the same correctly cast and properly vouched.

WALTER A. CONNOR,
ARTHUR C. GRAVES,
DUNCAN P. NOYES,

Auditors.

Henniker, N. H., February 8, 1929.

REPORT OF SUPERINTENDENT OF SCHOOLS

To the School Board and Citizens of Henniker:

This is my first annual report. It covers less than a full year of work and observation, as my period of service here began on July 15, 1928.

Thanks to the efforts of my predecessor, Mr. Gaius H. Barrett, I found the schools of the district doing very good work under capable teachers. The good results of his supervision were evident in every schoolroom.

Table 1
Statistical Report for Year Ending
June 30, 1928

School	Number Half Days School in Session	Average Membership (No. of Pupils)	Percent of Attendance	Number Half-Days Absence per Pupil	Number Tardinesses per pupil	Number of Visits		
						By Board Members	By Other Citizens	By Superintendent
High School	352	50.1	97.6	8.3	2.2	4	8	19
Junior High	352	41.2	97.6	8.4	0.8	2	15	21
Grades 5 & 6	352	30.1	96.7	11.6	0.1	2	7	29
Grades 3 & 4	352	32.2	94.	18.9	0.5	1	22	20
Grades 1 & 2	352	32.3	95.6	15.4	0.2	1	15	23
West Henniker	350	22.9	95.	15.	2.1	4	44	16
Westboro Corner	354	6.2	97.	10.8	1.1	1	26	12
Hemlock Corner	350	13.	95.1	17.3	7.5	5	19	13
Brick	352	15.6	98.4	5.8	0	4	44	15
All Schools		243.6	96.6	12.1	1.3	24	200	168

COMMENTS ON TABLE I—STATISTICAL REPORT

The average percentage of attendance for New Hampshire as last reported was 94.6. Henniker's average was two points higher than the State average; and only one register—that of the village third and fourth grades—showed a record lower than the State average. In tardiness, however, the State average shows only a little more than one per pupil. The High School, and the West Henniker

School each show about twice as many tardinesses as the average, and the Hemlock Corner School over six times as many. Tardiness cannot well be prevented without the co-operation of parents. "The home and school should work together for the good of the child."

The number of visits by parents and other citizens in Henniker, reported for the year, was less than in any other of the four towns in this supervisory union. One neighboring district reported over 850 visits during the same period, while Henniker's record shows only 200. Let us not be too busy to show our interest in the educational welfare of our children by an occasional visit to a school while in session. The latch-string of every schoolroom is out daily, and visitors are gladly welcomed.

ITEMS OF GENERAL INTEREST

This year the School Board has seen fit to reopen the Quaker Street School, which has been closed for several years. Eight pupils are now enrolled in this school.

Henniker is greatly indebted to the late Leander Cogswell for many demonstrations of his interest in town and school affairs. We should be especially grateful for the very generous gift of a fund to be used for the erection of a new high school building, and the land on which the building is to be erected. Careful thought and planning must be given to the construction of such a building, in order that the needs of the future as well as the present shall be adequately met.

Special emphasis is being placed this year by the teachers upon instruction in the most fundamental of all studies—reading. By means of standard tests and special study of individual cases, as well as vocabulary drills and the use of various practice devices, an earnest effort is being made to build a suitable foundation of reading ability, without which progress in other subjects cannot be made. Promotion from one grade to the next depends largely upon ability to read with understanding; and success in high school studies is almost impossible without reading skill.

Music is another subject, the value of which is increasingly being realized in America. By resolution of the Department of Superintendents of the National Education Association, it is recommended that music be given a place in the curriculum equivalent to that now occupied by other common school subjects. Many cities and towns, and some smaller communities, now have their instrumental classes, orchestras, and bands; and state-wide musical contests are becoming quite common. New Hampshire music supervisors have voted to undertake the project of an all-state orchestra,

to play at the next meeting of the State Teachers' Association. The growing enthusiasm for this ancient and modern art is being felt in our local schools. A student music supervisor from Keene Normal spends one day a week in Henniker; a beginners' violin class has been organized; and definite progress in the development of skill in note-reading, part-singing, and music appreciation is being made.

Training in the habits of good citizenship occupies a large place in the thinking of the conscientious teacher. In this connection, a Student Council, a project in practical self-government, has been instituted and is working out with much success and benefit to those participating in it. A medal, the gift of the New Hampshire organization of the Sons of the American Revolution, is also to be given in June to the best citizen in the eighth grade, as chosen by classmates and teachers.

In conclusion, grateful mention should be made of the faithfulness and loyalty of each teacher, which is making the work of the schools during the current year so uniformly successful and thorough.

Respectfully submitted,
ALMON W. BUSHNELL,
Superintendent of Schools.

HONOR ROLL OF PERFECT ATTENDANCE

High Honors—Perfect without Tardiness for Entire Year

Franklin Annis	Linwood Huntington
Robert Bartz	Earl Jameson
Virginia Bettinson	Robert Leaf
John Bennett	Eva McEvoy
Catherine Bowen	Clayton Meade
Gladys Bowen	Ursol Meade
Frances Carnes	Charlotte Moody
Gerald Carnes	Margaret Moody
Winston Clark	Verna Moody
Reginald Cogswell	Gordon Noyes
Freda Connor	Clifton Parker
Hazel Connor	Mary Parker (Grade V)
Karl Connor	Mary Parker (Grade III)
Ruth Connor	Elinor Parmenter
Byron Coombs	Norman Parmenter
Harold Coombs	Barry Patenaude
Henry Coombs	Katrine Patenaude
Elizabeth Coombs	William Pinfield

Kenneth Crain
 Lillie Damour
 Louis Damour
 Clifford Durgin
 Eleanor Fowler
 George Gilchrist
 Thomas Hope

Blanche Rand
 Mildred Rand
 Dagmar Russell
 Richard Smith
 James Sullivan
 Kenneth Ward
 Mildred White

Honors—Perfect Without Tardiness for Two Terms

Abbie Boynton
 Gwendolen Carnes
 Elizabeth Chase
 Mildred Cochrane
 Thelma Cochrane
 Frederick Connor
 Andrew Fowler
 Edgar Fowler
 Priscilla Fowler
 John Gammell
 George Hall
 Harold Heselton
 Helen Howlett
 Lois Huntington
 Harold Jameson
 Helen Jameson
 Lyndon Jameson
 Harold LaBier
 Henry Levesque

Neil MacPhee
 Howard Marshall
 Lavona Meade
 Alexander Mitchell
 Elizabeth Newton
 Christie Parker
 Howard Parker
 Percy Parker
 Frances Parmenter
 Pauline Patch
 John Pickering
 Dorothy Rand
 Mabel Rouse
 Douglas Rush
 Doris Taylor
 Mildred Taylor
 Phyllis Tucker
 Evelyn Twiss
 Charlie Whitcomb

Honorable Mention—Perfect Without Tardiness for One

Term

Esther Barrett
 Robert Barrett
 Paul Bennett
 Beatrice Bishopric
 Maurice Brown
 Henry Chase
 Nelson Chase
 Philip Chase
 Amy Clapp
 Weston Cushing
 Edward Damour
 Rita Damour
 Elinor Daniels
 Janice Daniels

James Howe
 William Hoyt
 Eli Israel
 Mildred Israel
 Samuel Israel
 Roland Jameson
 Arthur Laundry
 Charlotte Long
 Alice Marshall
 Ernest Marshall
 Ruth Mason
 Weston McEvoy
 James McGuire
 Geneva McGuire

Shirley Davison	Carol Nudd
Donald Denio	Raleigh Nudd
Doris Dowlin	Myrtle Nudd
Lester Durgin	George O'Neil
Allen Ernest	June O'Neal
Prescott Farrar	Burton Parker
Irving Fowler	Ernest Parker
Kenneth Fowler	Asenath Parmenter
Hazel Gagne	Stanley Parmenter
Antoinette Gammell	Theresa Patch
Freda Gammell	Duaine Patenaude
Clayton Goss	Varel Peaslee
Irving Goss	Wilbur Richardson
Alta Hardy	Vera Rouse
Myrtle Hardy	Frank Sargent
Gertrude Hatch	Thelma Shaw
Warren Hatch	Harold Tucker
Earl Heselton	Allison White
Geraldine Hooper	Eleda White
Helen Hope	Thelma Wood

GRADUATING CLASS, HENNIKER HIGH SCHOOL, 1928

Beatrice Bishopric	Eva McEvoy
Karl Connor	Theresa Patch
Elizabeth Farrar	Duaine Patenaude
Helen Hope	Grace Sargent
Mildred Israel	Sherman Wilkins

HENNIKER TEACHERS, 1928-1929

Ralph K. Whitney, Headmaster, High School ..	\$2,100.00
James A. Whitehead, Submaster, High School ..	1,400.00
May Greenwood, Assistant, High School	1,050.00
Inez E. Wallace, Assistant, High School	1,000.00
Emily N. Tracy, Junior High School	1,200.00
J. Josephine Gordon, Grades 5 and 6	1,000.00
Anna O. Swanson, Grades 3 and 4	950.00
Edna Freihofer, Grades 1 and 2	900.00
Mary D. Conner, Brick	792.00
Elsie Connor, Hemlock Corner	756.00
Julia Rice, Westboro Corner	612.00
Victoria Varjabedian, West Henniker	800.00
Lillias Washburn, Quaker Street	720.00

REPORT OF SCHOOL DISTRICT TREASURER

H. B. PRESTON, *Treasurer*

In Account with Henniker School District, for the Year
Ending June 30, 1928

Receipts

Cash on hand, July 1, 1927	\$.33
Received of Town Treasurer:	
Elementary School money, \$5 per \$1,000	9,988.08
High School appropriation	5,000.00
Special repair fund	500.00
Superintendent's excess salary	314.29
Per capita tax	510.00
Officers' salary	275.00
Noon lunches, rural schools	40.00
For books and supplies	300.00
Dog money	329.03
Received from State Treasurer:	
Equalization fund	154.60
Received from School Board:	
For rent of hall	1.00
Tuitions	465.87
 Total	 \$17,878.20
Paid on order of School Board	\$17,877.43
Cash on hand, July 1, 1928 .....	.77
	<hr/> \$17,878.20

H. B. PRESTON,
Treasurer.

We hereby certify that we have examined the foregoing account of H. B. Preston, Treasurer, Henniker School District, and find the same correctly cast and properly vouched.

WALTER A. CONNOR,
A. C. GRAVES,

Auditors

Henniker, N. H., July 12, 1928.

H. B. PRESTON, *Treasurer*

Henniker School District for the Period Ending
January 31, 1929

Receipts

Cash on hand, July 1, 1928	\$.77
Received of Town Treasurer:	
Elementary appropriation, in part	6,050.00
High School appropriation	5,000.00
Per capita tax	530.00

Superintendent's excess salary	314.29
Noon lunches	50.00
Special repairs	500.00
Books and supplies	300.00
Officers' salaries	275.00
Received from School Board:	
Cascade fund	11.25

Total	\$13,031.31
Paid on order of School Board	\$10,378.61
Cash on hand, January 31, 1929	2,652.70

Total	\$13,031.31
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We certify hereby that we have examined the foregoing account of H. B. Preston, Treasurer Henniker School District and find the same correctly cast and properly vouched.

WALTER A. CONNOR,
ARTHUR C. GRAVES,
DUNCAN P. NOYES,

Auditors.

Henniker, N. H., February 8, 1929.

COGSWELL FUND

H. B. PRESTON, *Treasurer*

In Account with Henniker School District, Cogswell Fund,
for Year Ending June 30, 1928.

Receipts

Cash on hand, July 1, 1927	\$147.00
Received of:	
E. Connelly, Treasurer Trust Funds	1,637.12
Savings Bank dividends	1.86

Total	\$1,785.98
Paid on order of School Board	\$1,777.51
Cash on hand, July 1, 1928	8.47

\$1,785.98

H. B. PRESTON,

Treasurer.

We hereby certify that we have examined the foregoing account of H. B. Preston, Treasurer Henniker School District, Cogswell Fund, and find the same correctly cast and properly vouched.

WALTER A. CONNOR,
A. C. GRAVES,

Auditors.

Henniker, N. H., July 12, 1928.

H. B. PRESTON, *Treasurer*

In Account with Henniker School District, Cogswell Fund,
For the Period Ending January 31, 1929

Cash on hand, July 1, 1928 \$8.47

Received of:

Edward Connelly, proceeds of fund 1,759.83

Total \$1,768.30

No orders drawn

Cash on hand, February 1, 1929 \$1,768.30

We hereby certify that we have examined the foregoing account of H. B. Preston, Treasurer, Henniker School District, "Cogswell Fund," and find the same correctly cast and properly vouched.

WALTER A. CONNOR,
ARTHUR C. GRAVES,
DUNCAN P. NOYES,

Auditors.

Henniker, N. H., February 8, 1929.

DODGE FUNDH. B. PRESTON, *Treasurer*

In Account with Henniker School District, Dodge Fund,
for Period Ending, January 31, 1929

Receipts

Cash on hand, January 31, 1928 \$21.41

Received of:

Edward Connelly, income of fund 21.25

Savings Bank, dividends49

Total \$43.15

Paid on order of school board \$21.62

Cash on hand, January 31, 1929 21.53

Total \$43.15

We hereby certify that we have examined the foregoing account of H. B. Preston, Treasurer Henniker School District, "George H. Dodge Fund," and find the same correctly cast and properly vouched.

WALTER A. CONNOR,
ARTHUR C. GRAVES,
DUNCAN P. NOYES,

Auditors.

Henniker, N. H., February 8, 1929.

SALARIES OF TEACHERS 1927-1928

Ralph K. Whitney, headmaster	\$1,840.00
Mrs. Holden, headmaster	160.00
D. S. Kimball, submaster	1,400.00
Miss Kittredge, domestic arts	1,000.00
Miss Greenwood, assistant	1,000.00
Miss Tracy, junior high	1,200.00
Mrs. Gordon, 5th and 6th	1,000.00
Miss Swanson, 3rd and 4th	900.00
Miss Phillips, 1st and 2nd	900.00
Mrs. Werden, West Henniker	900.00
Miss Rice, Westboro	612.00
Mrs. Connor, Brick	792.00
Mrs. Beane, Hemlock	756.00

INVENTORY OF SCHOOL PROPERTY

	<i>Buildings</i>	<i>Equipment</i>
Central	\$18,000.00	\$1,500.00
West Henniker	800.00	200.00
Dodge	300.00	50.00
Westboro	300.00	50.00
Brick	300.00	50.00
Hemlock	300.00	200.00
Quaker	800.00	200.00
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	\$20,800.00	\$2,250.00

EXPENSES FOR 1927-1928

	<i>Total.</i>	<i>High.</i>	<i>Elem.</i>
Administration	\$1,197.76
Teachers	10,897.00	\$3,315.00	\$7,582.00
Text books	409.85	150.00	259.85
Scholars' supplies	469.05	150.00	319.05
Dom. art. and manual training	98.95	7.51	91.44
Janitor	870.75	250.00	620.75
Fuel	1,341.79	700.00	641.78
Water, light, janitor's supplies	164.88	100.00	64.88
Minor repairs	426.90	400.00	26.90
School nurse	205.00	66.00	139.00
Transportation	1,255.50	.....	1,255.50
Noon lunch	40.00	.....	40.00
Repairs	500.00	.....	.....
	<hr/> \$17,877.43	.....	.....

DETAIL OF ADMINISTRATION

Noyes & Gilchrist, bond	\$15.00
L. O. Cooper, census	10.00
G. H. Barrett, ex	34.90
Superintendent's salary	342.86
State Treasurer, per capita	510.00
Truant officer	10.00
H. B. Preston, salary	50.00
P. E. Miller, salary	55.00
L. O. Cooper, salary	85.00
H. C. Falvey, salary	85.00

\$1,197.76

DETAIL OF FUEL

Coal	\$860.29
Wood, housing and sawing	481.50
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	\$1,341.79

ESTIMATE OF REVENUE FOR 1928-1929

\$5.00 on a \$1,000.00	\$9,988.08
High school	5,000.00
Books and supplies	300.00
Officers	275.00
Per capita tax	530.00
Superintendent's salary	314.29
Noon lunch, rural schools	50.00
Special repairs	500.00
Dog license, estimated	200.00
Tuition, high, estimated	200.00
Balance from last year .....	.77

ESTIMATE OF EXPENSES FOR 1928-1929

	<i>Total.</i>	<i>High.</i>	<i>Elem.</i>
Officers	\$275.00	.....	.....
Superintendent's salary ..	314.29	.....	.....
Teachers	12,680.00	\$4,000.00	\$8,680.00
Books	450.00	150.00	300.00
Supplies	450.00	150.00	300.00
Flags	15.00	7.50	7.50
Other expenses	75.00	25.00	50.00
Janitor	927.00	300.00	627.00
Fuel	994.00	340.00	654.00
Water, light and janitor's supplies	200.00	75.00	125.00
Minor repairs	300.00	100.00	200.00
Nurse	242.00	53.00	189.00
Transportation	1,170.00	.....	1,170.00
Noon lunch	50.00	.....	50.00
Per capita	530.00	.....	.....

D. WARREN AND ELIZA L. COGSWELL FUND**Orders Drawn From July 1, 1927 to June 30, 1928**

Teachers	\$1,685.00
Supplies	92.51
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	\$1,777.51

We hereby certify we have examined the accounts of Henrietta C. Falvey, Clerk of Henniker School Board, and found the same correctly cast and properly vouched.

WALTER A. CONNOR,
A. C. GRAVES,

July 12, 1928.

Orders Drawn Since July 1, 1928

Teachers' salaries	\$6,205.00
Janitor	451.25
Books	433.09
Supplies	464.08
Fuel	112.50
Water, light and janitor's supplies	210.12
Minor repairs	128.12
Noon lunch	40.75
Special repairs	500.00
Bond, census, superintendent's expenses	82.80
Superintendent's salary	301.19
Per capita tax	530.00
Domestic arts, manual training	182.54
Transportation	559.75
Flags	13.75
Tuition	81.67
Nurse	82.00
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	\$10,378.61

REPORT OF LEON O. COOPER**School House Repair Agent**

1928.

Sept. 6.	Received from H. B. Preston, treas.	\$300.00
Dec. 1.	Received from H. B. Preston, treas.	200.00
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		\$500.00

Paid out as follows:

Sept. 6.	J. H. Davis, painting ...	\$177.60	
Dec. 21.	E. C. Connelly, supplies and labor	84.53	
Oct. 6.	J. Damour, labor	3.25	
Nov. 27.	L. O. Cooper, labor and supplies	40.00	
		<hr/>	\$305.38
Balance on hand			194.62
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			\$500.00
Feb. 1, 1929,	cash on hand		\$194.62

We hereby certify that we have examined the foregoing account of Leon O. Cooper, Agent of School repair fund, and find the same correctly cast and properly vouched.

WALTER A. CONNOR,
ARTHUR C. GRAVES,
DUNCAN P. NOYES,

Auditors.

Henniker, February 8, 1929.

VITAL STATISTICS

Births Registered in the Town of Henniker for the year ending December 31, 1923

Date of Birth	Place of Birth	Name of Child (if any)	Sex	Name of Father	Maiden Name of Mother	Residence of Parents	Birthplace of Father	Birthplace of Mother
Jan. 23	Concord	Shirley Virginia	F	Wayne F. Holmes	Marion Herrick	All Henniker except as shown	Warner	Salem, Mass.
Feb. 18	Hillsboro	Marilyn Louise	F	Roy C. Knappton	Etta A. Severance		Henniker	Antrim
Feb. 20	Lowell, Mass.	Arthur Kenneth	M	Arthur Hall	Annie Bauer		Nova Scotia	New Bedford, Ms.
Feb. 22	Henniker	Omega Frances	F	LeRoy A. Connor	Freda R. Brown		Henniker	Antrim
Feb. 29	"	Ruth Lillian	F	Harry T. Garland	Marion Brown		Concord	Ashland, Mass.
Mar. 1	"	Mary Elizabeth	F	Diamond A. Maxwell	Ruth A. Cooper		Henniker	Topsfield, Mass.
Mar. 15	"	Geraldine Belle	F	Leonard P. Buxton	Annie Davison		Mass.	Greenfield, Mass.
Mar. 23	"	Alice Marian	F	Henry Friedrich	Florence Blanchard		Henniker	Washington, D. C.
Apr. 4	"	Robert Harry	M	George W. Hatch	Mary E. Butcher		Henniker	Henniker
Apr. 5	"	Arleen Ruth	F	Grayden J. Clark	Evelyn E. Gummell		Henniker	Goffstown
Apr. 19	"	Carl Tyrie	M	Harry L. Robertson	Mary V. Blanchette	Washington	Dummer	Henniker
Apr. 21	"	Melvin Alfred	M	Clayson E. Pike	Margaret M. Wood		Henniker	Lawrenceville, N. Y.
Apr. 22	"	Winsome Emmadine	F	Harold A. Tucker	Leola Lawyer		Shapley, Me.	Chelsea, Mass.
Apr. 23	"	Ruth Gertrude	F	Alonzo G. Day	Gladys Norton		Sutton	Henniker, Mass.
June 1	Manchester	George Edward	M	Edward M. Fisher	Blanche M. Seacles		Fort Kent, Me.	Sheridon, Me.
June 15	Henniker	Lawrence Joseph	M	Lawrence Corbin	Hilda Burshe		Canada	Deering
June 23	Concord	Joseph Richard	M	Lewis Gagne	Gladys M. Davis		Pembroke	Henniker
June 25	Henniker	Dorothy Elizabeth	F	Albert Champagne	Helen A. Davis		Canada	Henniker
June 27	"	May Irene Lenn	F	Joseph H. Dumour	Exilda Dupesron		Concord	Henniker
July 24	"	Ray Otis	M	Clarence E. Colby	Mildred E. Connor		Henniker	Henniker
July 25	"	Richard Alfred	M	Alfred L. French	Yvonne M. Guerin	Hopkinton	N. H.	P. O.
July 28	"	Herve Gerard	M	Henry D. Aucoin	Rose J. Bailey		N. H.	Bradford
Aug. 30	"	Albert Edward	M	Arthur E. Jones	Villa O. Thornton		Manchester	Frankston
Oct. 20	"	Rowena Marion	F	Roy R. Tobine	Rosa M. Towns		N. H.	Manchester
Oct. 22	"	Rodney William	M	William E. Currier	R. M. Faulkingham		Pittsfield, Vt.	Madras, Me.
Nov. 4	"	Marion Marjorie	F	Louis A. Bartlett	Bernice Penslee		Henniker	Henniker
Nov. 13	"	Scott Eugene	M	James A. Parmenter	Evelyn L. Tucker		Milton	Henniker
Dec. 21	"	Joseph Albert, Jr.	M	Joseph A. Norton				

I hereby certify that the above return is correct, according to the best of my knowledge and belief.

RALPH H. GILCHRIST, Town Clerk.

Marriages Registered in the Town of Henniker for the year ending December 31, 1928.

Date and place of Marriage	Name and Surname of Groom and Bride	Residence of each at time of Marriage	Age in years	Color of each	Place of Birth of Each	Name of Parents	What Marriage	Name, Residence and Official Station of Person by whom married
Jan. 18 Henniker	Alonzo G. Day	Henniker	38		Shipleigh, Me.	Alonzo G. Day Ellen F. Lord	3	Paris E. Miller Clergyman
May 12 Portsmouth	Gladys Norton	"	40		Chelea, Mass.	John A. Norton Esther J. Stewart	1	Henniker
June 30 Hillsboro	Ray Ernest Bowden	Concord	24		Lowell, Mass.	Tom B. Bowden Mildred H. Holt	1	Elisha M. Lake Clergyman
Aug. 6 Henniker	Grace Julia Bennett	Henniker	23		Henniker	Mark H. Bennett Frances L. Worthen	1	Portsmouth
Sept. 1 Henniker	Paul Vincent O'Brien	"	24		Ware, Mass.	Patrick J. O'Brien Bridget Madigan	1	Charles J. Laddy Roman Catholic Priest
Oct. 19 Henniker	Lydia Rose Trottier	Deering	17		Deering	Theophile Trottier Lucy Belmont	1	Hillsboro
Dec. 4 Henniker	Arthur E. Jones	Henniker	25	white	Ware	Edward A. Jones Julia Barton	1	William Thompson Clergyman
	Rose B. Tandy	"	28	All white	Bradford	Albert Bailey Josephine Lucier	2	Henniker
	Norman W. Francis	Manchester	24		Manchester	Irving W. Francis Grace F. Francis	1	Paris E. Miller Clergyman
	Charlotte Wilkins	Henniker	23		Henniker	Charles A. Wilkins Eleanor Howell	1	Henniker
	Willis Cogswell	"	61		"	David W. Cogswell Eliza L. Sawyer	1	Paris E. Miller Clergyman
	Sarah J. Chadwick	"	53		Portsmouth	Nathaniel Jackson Annie Evox	2	Henniker
	Roy J. Colby	"	30		Warner	Ernest A. Colby Clara A. Page	1	William Thompson Clergyman
	Inez E. Sweatt	"	31		Bradford	Frank L. Griffin Jennie L. Colburn	2	Henniker

I hereby certify that the above return is correct, according to the best of my knowledge and belief.
RALPH H. GILCHRIST, Town Clerk.

Deaths Registered in the Town of Henniker for the year ending December 31, 1928

Date of Death	Place of Death	Name and Surname of Deceased	Age		Place of Birth	Sex and Condition		Name of Father	Maiden Name of Mother	Birthplace of Father	Birthplace of Mother
			Years	Months		Color	or Wid.				
9 '27	Laconia	Harrison A. Gordon	73	11	Henniker	M	W	Jonathan Gordon	Mary Favor	Henniker	Henniker
Jan. 10	Henniker	John A. Colby	62	1	Weare	M	M	Daniel Colby	Adeline Curtis	Weare	Concord
Feb. 12	"	Ellen R. Bacon	56	1	Henniker	M	M	Cyrus R. Bacon	Mercy B. Savage	Henniker	Orford
Feb. 23	"	Ransom T. Dodge	80	9	"	M	M	Carlton S. Dodge	Dellah Stevens	Newburyport, M's	N. H.
Mar. 3	Goffstown	Ada Nelson	64	7	"	F	W	Henry Davis	Rhoda Dustin	Warner	Henniker
Apr. 5	Concord	Emma E. Scribner	71	6	"	F	S	Gilman Scribner	Susan Perry	Salisbury	"
Apr. 5	Norwich, Conn.	Sarah J. Moffitt	73	2	Concord	F	F	Charles H. Butters	Mary Flanders	Concord	Boscawen
Apr. 13	Henniker	Marj B. Sanborn	81	10	"	F	F	Warren S. Foster	Caroline Smith	"	"
Apr. 17	Dublin	Mary J. Gibson	87	10	"	F	F	John P. Bean	Mary H. Eastman	Wilnot	Henniker
Apr. 25	Boscawen	Edna Corlier	69	3	"	F	F	Wash. C. Cogswell	E. Maria Colby	Henniker	Bradford
May 1	Taunton, Mass.	Mary W. Favor	77	2	Wilnot	F	M	"	"	"	"
May 4	Henniker	William H. Bean	72	6	Henniker	M	M	"	"	"	"
May 23	"	Edward N. Cogswell	63	6	Canada	M	M	"	"	"	"
May 28	"	Louis Gagnon	93	9	Henniker	M	M	"	"	"	"
May 28	Amesbury, M's	Samuel Nichols	72	3	"	M	W	Will O. Flanders	Betsey G. Noyes	Henniker	New Boston
June 1	Concord	John F. Flanders	72	3	"	F	W	Paul Hussey	Sarah Dodge	Washington	Washington
June 13	Henniker	Mary E. Hussey	59	11	Hillboro	F	W	Calvin W. Adams	Lorraine Newman	Portsmouth, R. I.	Fall River, M's
June 25	"	Elia M. Abbott	77	7	Fall River, M's	F	F	Lewis R. Hazard	Mary A. Allen	Henniker	Henniker
June 25	"	Anna M. Davis	47	7	Henniker	F	M	George A. Woods	Elizabeth Woods	Henniker	"
June 28	"	George A. Woods	78	2	"	F	M	Ezra Eastman	Cynthia W. Conner	Hopkinton	Francetown
July 27	Concord	Helen J. Russell	79	2	"	F	M	Luke W. Preston	Mary F. Fairbanks	Windsor	Weare
July 30	Henniker	George C. Cogswell	80	6	Manchester	M	W	David W. Cogswell	Eliza L. Sawyer	Henniker	Roxbury, Vt.
Aug. 24	"	Frederic A. Cogswell	64	6	"	M	W	James K. Burnham	Eliza A. Woodard	Henniker	"
Sept. 6	"	Matthe A. Camp	64	3	Montpelier, Vt.	M	W	Hiram Bullis	Mary Ann Benson	Roxbury, Vt.	"
Sept. 14	"	John E. Woods	83	3	Percy, N. Y.	M	M	George A. Woods	Julia Massey	Henniker	Bradford
Sept. 23	Manchester	Natt E. Woods	40	15	Henniker	M	M	Dexter Wood	George Ward	"	Stamford, Conn.
Sept. 23	Henniker	Abbie Webster	77	3	"	F	W	Leonard W. Peabody	Julia Massey	Newport	Warner
Oct. 25	"	Sarah M. Childs	79	3	Escom	F	W	Madison M. Howe	Louise L. Kelley	Hopkinton	Warner
Nov. 9	"	Lilla J. Howe	57	10	Hopkinton	F	W	Phineas Tinkham	Elmira L. Felch	Yarmouth	Yarmouth
Nov. 10	"	Josie D. Giles	61	1	Brocklyn, N. Y.	F	W	Willie Bishopric	Electa Parmenter	"	"
Nov. 17	Springfield	Charles A. Colby	61	1	Springfield, M's	F	M	Frank Condes	Bessie Jane Andrews	"	"
Nov. 25	Concord	William Condes	70	7	Concord	M	M	Harmon Moore	Grace Flanders	Athena, Greece	Henniker
Nov. 25	Boston, Mass.	George H. Moore	64	4	"	M	M	Frank Condes	Emma Hammond	Vermont	Ossipee
Dec. 2	Providence, R. I.	Richard L. Kilburn	69	10	Providence, R. I.	M	M	Edward J. Kilburn	Mable Lawton	Henniker	Henniker
Dec. 15	Sharon, Mass.	Charlotte M. Newton	7	6	Sharon, Mass.	F	M	Joseph Tucker	Esther Connor	"	"
Dec. 26	Hopkinton	Henry Tucker	69	10	"	M	M	George W. Plumer	Louisa Neal	Henniker	Weare
Dec. 26	San Diego, Cal.	Mary J. Noyes	86	3	Henniker	F	W	"	"	"	"

I hereby certify that the above return is correct, according to the best of my knowledge and belief.

RALPH H. GILCHRIST, Town Clerk.

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